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BOSTON, Dec. 12, 1869.

Gentlemen: My only object in giving you this testimonial is to spread valuable information. Having been badly afflicted with Salt Rheum, and the whole surface of my skin being covered with pimples and eruptions, many of which caused me great pain and annoyance, and knowing it to be a blood disease, I took many of the advertised blood preparations, among which was any quantity of Sarsaparilla, without obtaining any benefit, until I commenced taking the VEGETINE; and before I had completed the first bottle I saw that I had got the right medicine. Consequently I followed on with it until I had taken seven bottles, when I was pronounced a well man; and my skin is smooth, and entirely free from pimples and eruptions. I have never enjoyed so good health before, and I attribute it all to the use of VEGETINE. To benefit those afflicted with Rheumatism, I will make mention also of this acute complaint, of which I have suffered so intensely.
C. H. TUCKER, Pas. Ag't Mich. C. R. R.
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Every One Speaks Favorably,

EAST MARSHFIELD, Aug. 31, 1870.

MR. STEVENS: Dear Sir: I have been troubled with Canker from childhood, causing my mouth to be sore at times, so that I was unable to eat. Have taken many preparations, but with no effect until I tried your VEGETINE. After taking a few doses, I found it relieved the faintness at the stomach that always accompanies Canker humor; and by the time I had taken the third bottle my mouth was entirely cured. Have not been troubled with it since that time, which is eight months ago. I have recommended it to several of my acquaintances; and every one speaks favorably of its good effect.
Yours truly, P. S. SHERMAN.

Report from a Practical Chemist and Apothecary.

BOSTON, May 1, 1871.

DEAR SIR: This is to certify that I have sold at retail, sixty-three dozen (756 bottles) of your VEGETINE since April 12, 1870, and can truly say that it has given the best satisfaction of any remedy, for the complaints for which it is recommended, that I ever sold. Scarcely a day passes without some of my customers testifying to its merits on themselves or their friends. I am personally cognizant of several cases of Scrofulous Tumors being cured by VEGETINE alone in this vicinity.
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To H. R. STEVENS, Esq. 468 Broadway.

FURTHER PROOF.

SPRINGFIELD, Me., May 4, 1872.

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May 12

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF Ulster, State of New York, Joseph T. Hammick, Plaintiff, against Joseph Wilkinson and Ann Wilkinson his wife and Samuel Wilkinson, Defendants.

To the above named defendants, Joseph Wilkenson, Ann Wilkenson and Samuel Wilkenson.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the county of Ulster, in the city of Kingston, in the State of New York, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in (Rondout) city of Kingston, Ulster county, New York, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

E. D. BRANDOW, Plaintiff's Attorney,
Rondout, N. Y.
Dated April 20th, 1874.

The complaint herein was filed in the Ulster County Clerk's office on the 1st day of May, 1874.
E. D. BRANDOW, Plaintiffs Attorney.
Dated (Rondout) city of Kingston, N. Y., May 4th, 1874.

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SCIENCE AND ART.

Art Among the Ashantees.

The thousand ounces of gold gathered in such haste by King Koffee, as the first instalment of the indemnity demanded by his English conquerors, furnish many curious and striking illustrations of the artistic development of the native goldsmiths. Their skill in working gold—which appears to be the most common metal of the country—seems, indeed, to be fully equal to that of the best European artists, while their fertility in invention is simply wonderful.

Among the larger articles brought away by the English is a human head of massive gold, nearly five pounds in weight; a ghastly object, apparently representing the head of a victim gagged for sacrifice. Of a more pleasing character, and more to be preferred as works of art, are two heavy golden griffins, said to have been broken from the King's chair of state. There are besides, many badges of office of different styles, some of them massive fibulæ of wrought gold, like those worn by the heralds sent by King Koffee to treat with the English commander, others of various patterns according to the office of the wearer. That of the King's chamberlain, for example, is distinguished by padlock and keys; the butler's, by cups and bowls, all of solid metal, and, for the most part, castings of exquisite design.

In addition to these great badges, each of which contains many ounces of pure gold, there are fetish caps ornamented with gold in *repoussee* work, the golden tops of umbrellas and sticks of office, grotesque lions for the heads of scepters, golden jaw bones, thigh bones and skulls, a large sacrificial knife with a golden handle, and many indescribable objects which doubtless served their purpose in the fantastic ceremonies of fetish worship.

Smaller in size but not inferior in workmanship is an infinite number and variety of objects of native design, besides numerous imitations of the gold work of other nations and ages; bracelets, some so heavy as to be a burden, others of exceeding lightness and delicacy; necklaces, chains, pendants, brooches, and rings of curious yet beautiful shape.

The imitated articles give a striking indication of the skill with which the native workmen copy everything that comes to them from the outer world. Thus there are golden padlocks, buckles, bells, and even watch keys, whose use must have been unknown. Not the least curious are several copies of reliquaries, left, perhaps, by Roman Catholic missionaries in that benighted land, and reproduced in gold by the native workmen, with a faithfulness and delicacy which a Chinese might envy. Among the brooches, pendants, badges, rings, and so on, there are forms which are almost facsimiles of early Indian ornaments; others approach Egyptian styles; still others, Scandinavian and Anglo-Saxon types. The whole world, in fact, has been laid under tribute and the relics hoarded in this out-of-the-way region.

Some of the articles are quite new, and still have clinging to them the fine red loam in which they were cast. Others are old and worn, and bear traces of frequent patchings and solderings. One of the most remarkable of the ancient pieces is a finely chased seal ring, the signet being made of an ancient Coptic coin. Two other rings were evidently copied from early English betrothal rings. Some of the necklaces and chains are formed of beautiful shells reproduced in gold, while others represent seeds and fruit. In every case, the design is individual and the beauty of the workmanship refreshing to see, in contrast with the machine-made jewelry worn by modern civilized belles.

The most noteworthy object in silver brought from Ashantee is an enormous belt or baldrick, to be hung over the neck by a massive chain, crossing the breast diagonally. From the belt depend seven or eight silver sheaths for knives, the use of which it is not difficult to imagine.—*Scientific American.*

Aversion to Manual Labor.

The practice of educating boys for the professions, which are already overstocked, or for the mercantile business, in which statistics show that ninety-five in a hundred fail of success, is fearfully on the increase in this country. Americans are annually becoming more and more averse to manual labor; and to get a living by one's wits, even at the cost of independence and self-respect, and a fearful wear and tear of conscience, is the ambition of a large proportion of our young men. The result is that the mechanical professions are becoming a monopoly of foreigners, and the ownership of the finest farms, even in New England, is passing from Americans to Irishmen and Germans. Fifty years ago a father was not ashamed to put his children to the plow or to a mechanical trade; but now they are "too feeble" for bodily labor; one has a pain in his side, another a slight cough, another "a very delicate constitution," another is nervous; and so poor Bobby or Billy or Tommy is sent off to the city to measure tape, weigh coffee, or draw molasses.

It seems never to occur to their foolish parents that moderate manual labor in the pure and bracing air of the country is just what these puny, wasp-waisted lads need, and that to send them to the crowded and unhealthy city is to send them to their graves. Let them follow the plow, swing the sledge, or shove the foreplane, and their pinched chests will be expanded, their sunken cheeks plumped out, and their lungs, now "cabined, cribbed, and confined," will have room to play. Their nerves will be invigorated with their muscles; and when they shall have cast off their jackets, instead of being thin, pale, vapid coxcombs, they shall have spread out to the size and configuration of men. A lawyer's office, a counting room, or a grocery is about the last place to which a sickly youth should be sent. The ruin of health is as sure there as in the mines of England. Even of those men in the city who have constitutions of iron, only five per cent. succeed, and they only by "living like hermits, and working like horses;" the rest, after years of toil and anxiety, become bankrupt or retire; and having meanwhile acquired a thorough disgust and unfitness for manual labor, bitterly bemoan the day when they forsook the peaceful pursuits of the country for the excitement, care, and sharp competition of city life.—*M., in What Next?*

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WHEREAS, DEFAULT HAS been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 1st day of April, 1870, executed by John D. Deyo, widower, of the Town of Shawangunk, in the County of Ulster and State of New York, to Jane Smith, then the wife of Gardinier Smith, of the Town of Hurley, in the County and State aforesaid, to secure the payment of thirty-seven hundred dollars with interest thereon from the date thereof on the first day of April, 1872, and which mortgage was recorded in the Clerk's office of said County of Ulster in Book No. 110 of mortgages, on page 285, &c., on the 21st day of March, 1872, at 2½ o'clock P. M.

And whereas the said Jane Smith died intestate on the 11th day of January, 1874, leaving Cornelius C. Smith, John F. Smith, Richard C. Smith, Mary Dennis and Jeannette Van Wagenen, all above twenty-one years of age, as her only children and heirs-at-law, her surviving.

And whereas the said Cornelius C. Smith, John F. Smith, Richard C. Smith, Mary Dennis and Jeannette Van Wagenen, duly assigned and transferred all their right, title and interest in and to the said mortgage, and the bond accompanying the same to their father, Gardinier Smith, by assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1874, duly recorded in the said Ulster County Clerk's office.

And whereas the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the time of the first publication of this notice is the sum of three thousand nine hundred and ninety-one dollars and sixteen cents, to-wit: $3,700 of principal and $291.16 of interest, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained and duly recorded as aforesaid and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Kingston, in the County of Ulster and State of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The premises are described in the mortgage as follows: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Town of Shawangunk aforesaid, and is known and distinguished as being the same farm now owned and occupied by John D. Deyo, and is described in three lots or parcels of land as follows, namely: Beginning with the lot the said John D. Deyo purchased from Willet Leuderman and his wife Sarah, and at a corner on the west side of the highway leading to Kingston, then as the needle pointed in 1820 north fifty degrees twenty minutes, west twenty-eight chains fourteen links to a corner of a lot of land sold to Joseph Eckert, then along the same south forty-two and three-quarter degrees west four chains seventy-one links, then north forty-five degrees forty-five minutes west seven chains to the center of a highway leading to Kutsonville; the two last courses are as the needle now points; then as it pointed in 1820 south twenty-nine degrees and forty-five minutes west seven chains and fifty links to a lot bought by Samuel Aldrich and others, then south fifty degrees twenty minutes east twenty-nine chains thirty links to a stone set by the westerly side of the aforesaid highway, then along the same to the beginning, containing thirty-six acres of land.

Also all that other lot purchased from Samuel Aldrich and others, and bounded as follows, namely: North by the above described lot, east by the public highway, south by lands of Peter Van Aken, west by the lands of Abram Vernooy, containing forty acres of land more or less.

Also all that other lot of land which is known as the same farm formerly owned by Jonathan Terwilliger, and is bounded as follows, namely: Beginning at a corner of land belonging to the heirs of William Rosekrans, from thence south seventy-five degrees and thirty minutes west two chains sixteen links to the line of the first described lot, then along the same north forty-seven degrees west ten chains thirty-one links, then north forty degrees and forty-five minutes east four chains and seventy-four links, then south thirty-two degrees forty-five minutes east eleven chains ninety-four links to the beginning, containing three acres and eight-tenths of an acre of land.

Dated February 23, 1874.
GARDINIER SMITH, Assignee.
VAN ETTEN & CLEARWATER, Attorneys.

The sale of the above described premises is hereby postponed until the first day of June, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated May 20th, 1874.
GARDINIER SMITH, Assignee.
VAN ETTEN & CLEARWATER, Attorneys.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF ULSTER. Theodore Frederick, Plaintiff, against Edward Kiernan, James Cummings and Catherine Cummings his wife, Michael Reynolds and Bridget Reynolds his wife, Osmer B. Wheeler, William H. Stoddard, William D. Dickey, Chauncey Keator and Reuben Bernard, as executors of the last will and testament of Henry H. Keator, deceased, George Kiersted, George N. Fredenburgh, Robert L. Mulford, Cortland A. Sprague, The State of New York National Bank, Lorenzo Dubois, Moses W. Schepmoes, John Rowe, Jessie Dunlap as Executrix, and William J. Dixon as executor of the last will and testament of Archibald A. Dunlap, deceased, Albert Van Winkle, Elizabeth R. Kidd, John Derrenbacher, Frederick Stephan, Franklin H. Delano, Bridget O'Toole, Thomas Hart, Hamlet Hart and the Poughkeepsie Savings Bank, defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made in the above entitled action on the second day of March, 1874, the subscriber, referee for that purpose duly appointed, will sell at public auction at the Court House in the city of Kingston, in the County of Ulster, on the thirtieth day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate and mortgaged premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the city, (formerly village) of Kingston, in the County of Ulster, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of a frame building adjoining the brewery of the said Clarissa Smith on the southerly side of Hurley avenue and runs thence south thirty degrees, west one hundred and fifty-six feet and five inches, thence south thirteen and a half degrees, east thirty-nine feet parallel with Bridge street, thence north eighty-one degrees, east ninety-three feet, thence north seven and three quarters degrees, west fifty-eight feet, thence in range with the centre of the brewery wall fourteen feet and seven inches to the southeast corner of said brewery wall, thence along the center of said wall sixty-four feet and seven inches to Huley avenue, thence along said avenue north sixty degrees, west fifty-one feet, four inches to the place of beginning, and all other rights and privileges in the deed to said Cummings and Kiernan specified, reference to which will more fully appear.

Dated March 5, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT, Plaintiff's Attorney,
Haverstraw, N. Y.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice (Theodore Frederick against Edward Kiernan and others,) is postponed to the 24th day of April, 1874 at the same hour and place.
Dated March 30th, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT Plaintiff's Attorney.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice (Theodore Frederick agst. Edward Kiernan and others) is further postponed to the 22d day of May, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated April 24, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SUPREME COURT, Ulster County, Alva S. Staples against William Golden and Mary Golden, his wife, Thomas Hamilton, The National Bank of Rondout, William A. Fanning, Anthony Koons and others, and Alva S. Staples against William Golden and Mary Golden his wife, and others.

In pursuance and by virtue of two judgments or decrees of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above-entitled actions by the Supreme Court, on the 4th day of April, 1874, and entered in the Clerk's office of Ulster County on the 7th day of April, 1874, the subscriber, a referee for that purpose appointed in and by the said judgments or decrees, will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 2d day of May, 1874, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the lands and premises described in said judgments or decrees as follows, to wit: All that certain lot of land situated in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, and described as follows: Beginning at a cedar post at the northeast corner of lot numbered one hundred and twenty-one, as laid down on a map of the property of the Presidents, Managers and Company of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company, thence along Division street fifty feet, thence one hundred and three feet to the rear of lot number two hundred and two, thence along the rear of lots two hundred and two and two hundred and one, to the southwest corner of lot number two hundred and twenty-two, thence along lots two hundred and twenty-two and two hundred and twenty-one to the place of beginning; being the whole of lot No. 220 and ten feet front and rear of lot No. 219, and being the same lot conveyed to William Golden by Thomas Cornell and wife, by deed dated June 1st, 1859, and recorded in Ulster County Clerk's office, in book No. 108 of deeds, page 249, &c.

Dated April 8th, 1874.
E. D. BRANDOW, Referee.
E. S. WOOD, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice is hereby postponed until the 10th day of July, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated May 2, 1874.
E. D. BRANDOW, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, Ulster County, Benjamin I. Van Aken, against John Barley and Emma G. Barley, his wife, Esther M. Van Hoevenburgh, Bruyn VanKeuren and William Neil.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree and judgment of foreclosure granted in this action and entered in the Ulster County Clerk's office, May 11th, 1874, I, the subscriber, referee, duly appointed for such purpose, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y., on the 6th day of June, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day the following described lands and premises, being the same described in the complaint and judgment in this action, viz.: All that certain village lot situate lying and being in the village of Kingston, in Ulster county aforesaid, on the westerly side of East Front street, and is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at East Front street, at the northerly corner of lot formerly Christopher Deit's, now in possession of Abraham S. Schoonmaker, thence along East Front street north, twenty-seven degrees west, fifty feet to the bounds of lot of Henry Stall, then south seventy degrees west along his bounds; one hundred and forty-seven feet to a stone, then south twenty-seven degrees east, a line parallel with East Front street to the lot of Abraham S. Schoonmaker aforesaid; then north sixty-three degrees, east one hundred and forty-seven feet along his bounds to the place of beginning, said lot being fifty feet front and rear, and one hundred and forty-seven feet deep.

Dated May 11th, 1874.
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SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF Ulster, State of New York, Joseph T. Hammick, Plaintiff, against Joseph Wilkinson and Ann Wilkinson his wife and Samuel Wilkinson, Defendants.

To the above named defendants, Joseph Wilkenson, Ann Wilkenson and Samuel Wilkenson.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the county of Ulster, in the city of Kingston, in the State of New York, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in (Rondout) city of Kingston, Ulster county, New York, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
E. D. BRANDOW, Plaintiff's Attorney,
Rondout, N. Y.
Dated April 20th, 1874.

The complaint herein was filed in the Ulster County Clerk's office on the 1st day of May, 1874.
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Among the larger articles brought away by the English is a human head of massive gold, nearly five pounds in weight; a ghastly object, apparently representing the head of a victim gagged for sacrifice. Of a more pleasing character, and more to be preferred as works of art, are two heavy golden griffins, said to have been broken from the King's chair of state. There are besides, many badges of office of different styles, some of them massive fibulæ of wrought gold, like those worn by the heralds sent by King Koffee to treat with the English commander, others of various patterns according to the office of the wearer. That of the King's chamberlain, for example, is distinguished by padlock and keys; the butler's, by cups and bowls, all of solid metal, and, for the most part, castings of exquisite design.

In addition to these great badges, each of which contains many ounces of pure gold, there are fetish caps ornamented with gold in *repoussee* work, the golden tops of umbrellas and sticks of office, grotesque lions for the heads of scepters, golden jaw bones, thigh bones and skulls, a large sacrificial knife with a golden handle, and many indescribable objects which doubtless served their purpose in the fantastic ceremonies of fetish worship.

Smaller in size but not inferior in workmanship is an infinite number and variety of objects of native design, besides numerous imitations of the gold work of other nations and ages; bracelets, some so heavy as to be a burden, others of exceeding lightness and delicacy; necklaces, chains, pendants, brooches, and rings of curious yet beautiful shape.

The imitated articles give a striking indication of the skill with which the native workmen copy everything that comes to them from the outer world. Thus there are golden padlocks, buckles, bells, and even watch keys, whose use must have been unknown. Not the least curious are several copies of reliquaries, left, perhaps, by Roman Catholic missionaries in that benighted land, and reproduced in gold by the native workmen, with a faithfulness and delicacy which a Chinese might envy. Among the brooches, pendants, badges, rings, and so on, there are forms which are almost facsimiles of early Indian ornaments; others approach Egyptian styles; still others, Scandinavian and Anglo-Saxon types. The whole world, in fact, has been laid under tribute and the relics hoarded in this out-of-the-way region.

Some of the articles are quite new, and still have clinging to them the fine red loam in which they were cast. Others are old and worn, and bear traces of frequent patchings and solderings. One of the most remarkable of the ancient pieces is a finely chased seal ring, the signet being made of an ancient Coptic coin. Two other rings were evidently copied from early English betrothal rings. Some of the necklaces and chains are formed of beautiful shells reproduced in gold, while others represent seeds and fruit. In every case, the design is individual and the beauty of the workmanship refreshing to see, in contrast with the machine-made jewelry worn by modern civilized belles.

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Aversion to Manual Labor.

The practice of educating boys for the professions, which are already overstocked, or for the mercantile business, in which statistics show that ninety-five in a hundred fail of success, is fearfully on the increase in this country. Americans are annually becoming more and more averse to manual labor; and to get a living by one's wits, even at the cost of independence and self-respect, and a fearful wear and tear of conscience, is the ambition of a large proportion of our young men. The result is that the mechanical professions are becoming a monopoly of foreigners, and the ownership of the finest farms, even in New England, is passing from Americans to Irishmen and Germans. Fifty years ago a father was not ashamed to put his children to the plow or to a mechanical trade; but now they are "too feeble" for bodily labor; one has a pain in his side, another a slight cough, another "a very delicate constitution," another is nervous; and so poor Bobby or Billy or Tommy is sent off to the city to measure tape, weigh coffee, or draw molasses.

It seems never to occur to their foolish parents that moderate manual labor in the pure and bracing air of the country is just what these puny, wasp-waisted lads need, and that to send them to the crowded and unhealthy city is to send them to their graves. Let them follow the plow, swing the sledge, or shove the foreplane, and their pinched chests will be expanded, their sunken cheeks plumped out, and their lungs, now "cabined, cribbed, and confined," will have room to play. Their nerves will be invigorated with their muscles; and when they shall have cast off their jackets, instead of being thin, pale, vapid coxcombs, they shall have spread out to the size and configuration of men. A lawyer's office, a counting room, or a grocery is about the last place to which a sickly youth should be sent. The ruin of health is as sure there as in the mines of England. Even of those men in the city who have constitutions of iron, only five per cent. succeed, and they only by "living like hermits, and working like horses;" the rest, after years of toil and anxiety, become bankrupt or retire; and having meanwhile acquired a thorough disgust and unfitness for manual labor, bitterly bemoan the day when they forsook the peaceful pursuits of the country for the excitement, care, and sharp competition of city life.—*M., in What Next?*

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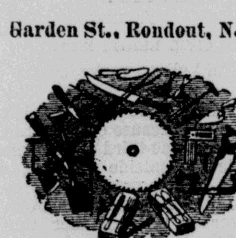
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ON THE LINE OF THE RONDOUT AND KINGSTON R. R.,
Manufacturers and Dealers in all kinds of
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UPHOLSTERY,
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Fair Street, Opposite Music Hall, Kingston.
WROUGHT IRON PIPE AND FITTINGS, GAS AND KEROSENE CHANDELIERS, PENDANTS, BRACKETS, LAMPS, &c. CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Old Fixtures Bronzed and Re-Gilt at the Shortest Notice.
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I am now fully at home in my NEW MARKET
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BUILT AND REPAIRED
AT THE YARD OF THE SUBSCRIBER,
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To Builders, Farmers & Others!
If you want bargains call and examine the stock of
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Great Inducements to Buyers!
HARDWARE, IRON, STEEL,
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Always on hand the cheapest and best CLOTHES WRINGER in use—COLBY'S—the Ladies' Favorite.
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Agricultural Implements of all kinds, Shovels, Spades, Forks, &c., of every description.
CARPENTERS and BUILDERS will obtain Great Bargains in buying what they want in their line at Dodge's, Rondout.
Rondout, April 1, 1873. A. DODGE.

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Lodi Manufacturing Co's
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MECHANICS' TOOLS
A SPECIALTY.
WARRANTING ALL GOODS AS RECOMMENDED AND AT PRICES DEFYING COMPETITION.
Thanking the general public for their favors and patronage to the old, we solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.
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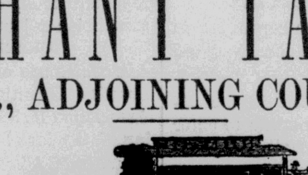
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Boards, Plank, Flooring, Ceiling, Shelving, Base Boards, Pickets and Siding of every variety always on hand.
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Boards, Joists, Wall Strips, Plank and Timber of any size and length.

SHINGLES
Of Pine, Cedar, Hemlock, and Spruce, and a Patent Covered Cemented Shingle
LATH & PICKETS.
All of which are being sold at Ten Per Cent Lower than any other dealer.

COAL! COAL!!
To Coal customers I would say that I am prepared to fill with promptness all orders presented and deliver the same to any part of the city, by the single or hundred tons. My Coal shall be well screened and 2,000 pounds guaranteed to the ton.
DEALERS ON THE LINE OF RAILROADS
Wishing Coal or Lumber may get what they want by the Car-load or Cargo on very small commission
Kingston, Aug. 21, 1873. Call and see me. D. C. OVERBAUGH

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MERCHANT TAILORS,
WALL ST., ADJOINING COURT HOUSE.



Largest and best assortment of Spring and Summer stock in the County, comprising all the latest novelties.
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, OVERCOATINGS, ETC.,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.
BANNER AND NEW YORK CITY SHIRTS.
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FINE SHIRTS ON HAND. SHIRTS MADE TO ORDER AND A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED,
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FISHER & STONE, 35 Wall St., adj. Court House.

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MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN
FURNITURE, UPHOLSTERY,
LOOKING GLASSES,
WILLOW GOODS, BRACKETS, WINDOW CORNICES,
WINDOW SHADES & FIXTURES, &C.
LARGEST STORES AND LARGEST STOCK OF GOODS IN THEIR LINE BETWEEN NEW YORK AND ALBANY.
UNDERTAKING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Office and Principal Sale Rooms in Ridenour's Building, No. 21 Wall Street, Kingston. Manufactory and Sales Room at J. D. Sleight's old stand opposite the Kingston Tannery. RIDENOUR & SLEIGHT.
City of Kingston, April 8th, 72. 1581y

SPRING AND SUMMER
MILLINERY
FOR 1874 AT
SIMS'.
COME AND SEE THE GREAT
INFLATION BONNET
The Spring Style for 1874, to be worn by the old women at Washington. Patent right secured.
A large and full stock of
ELEGANT MILLINERY GOODS
Just received, which we are offering at Gold prices, although paper is the order of the day.
JOCKEYS,
New Spring styles only 35 cents, others of a finer grade equally low.
RIBBONS 12, 16 and 20 Cents.
Some people are asking 25 cents for ribbons; all that I have to say is that I am surprised at such prices.
Silks, Velvets, Satin, Maline, Crapes, Laces, Dotted Net Wash Blondes, New Styles of VEILS, Flowers [elegant], Piquets, French Feather Grass, Leaves, Ornaments, &c., &c.
Feathers of all kinds.
BONNETS and JOCKEYS of all the new styles. Frames of all shapes. Ladies', Misses' and Children's
UNDERWEAR.
We have a full line of female undergarments, which are offered at prices less than you can make them at home.
Mrs. Sims will take pleasure in showing you the Undergarments. A large stock of HOSIERY, Womens', Misses' Children's and Infants' Hose. Call and examine them and satisfy yourself whether they are cheap. Berlin Worsted, Germantown Wool and everything that belongs to the worsted trade. This is one of the largest retail stocks of worsted that can be found in the state. Ladies' Dress Caps, Children's Lace and Medallion Caps, &c., &c. A large and elegant asortment of FANCY ARTICLES that can't be found elsewhere; call and examine them, it will give you pleasure and cost nothing.
MILL ST., 3d door from Freeman Printing Office, city of Kingston (East end).
April 15th, 1874. W. SIMS.

BRANCH OFFICE RONDOUT DAILY FREEMAN, John street, upper Kingston. All orders for Job Printing will receive prompt attention.

C. D. EDMONSTON,
MANUFACTURER OF SEGARS,
Wholesale Dealer in
CHEWING,
SMOKING & PLUG TOBACCO,
BRIAR & CLAY PIPES, &c.
Garden Street, opposite Rhinebeck Ferry,
RONDOUT, N. Y.

DENTISTRY.
DR. V. SHERWOOD
Has removed his dental establishment from his old stand in Garden Street to
The Newkirk Building,
DIVISION STREET,
Nearly opposite the Mansion House, over Andrew Dunn's extensive Watch and Jewelry Store.

B. LOUGHRAN,
PRACTICAL PLUMBER
—AND—
GAS FITTER.
106 NORTH FRONT STREET,
KINGSTON, N. Y.,
—AND—
Garden St., Rondout,
Opposite ferry landing.
DEALER IN
PLUMBERS' MATERIALS
Of all descriptions
COUNTRY HOUSES FITTED UP
With all the conveniences of city dwellings with
Water, Gas and Steam Heating.
AGENT FOR
LEHMAN'S VITRIFIED STONE DRAIN PIPE.
All goods warranted. Jobbing promptly attended.

WHEREAS, DEFAULT HAS been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 1st day of April, 1870, executed by John D. Deyo, widower, of the Town of Shawangunk, in the County of Ulster and State of New York, to Jane Smith, then the wife of Gardinier Smith, of the Town of Hurley, in the County and State aforesaid, to secure the payment of thirty-seven hundred dollars with interest thereon from the date thereof on the first day of April, 1872, and which mortgage was recorded in the Clerk's office of said County of Ulster in Book No. 110 of mortgages, on page 285, &c., on the 21st day of March, 1872, at 2½ o'clock P. M.

And whereas the said Jane Smith died intestate on the 11th day of January, 1874, leaving Cornelius C. Smith, John F. Smith, Richard C. Smith, Mary Dennis and Jeannette Van Wagenen, all above twenty-one years of age, as her only children and heirs-at-law, her surviving.

And whereas the said Cornelius C. Smith, John F. Smith, Richard C. Smith, Mary Dennis and Jeannette Van Wagenen, duly assigned and transferred all their right, title and interest in and to the said mortgage, and the bond accompanying the same to their father, Gardinier Smith, by assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1874, duly recorded in the said Ulster County Clerk's office.

And whereas the amount claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the time of the first publication of this notice is the sum of three thousand nine hundred and ninety-one dollars and sixteen cents, to-wit: $3,700 of principal and $291.16 of interest, and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained and duly recorded as aforesaid and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at Public Auction at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Kingston, in the County of Ulster and State of New York, on the 20th day of May, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

The premises are described in the mortgage as follows: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the Town of Shawangunk aforesaid, and is known and distinguished as being the same farm now owned and occupied by John D. Deyo, and is described in three lots or parcels of land as follows, namely: Beginning with the lot the said John D. Deyo purchased from Willet Leuderman and his wife Sarah, and at a corner on the west side of the highway leading to Kingston, then as the needle pointed in 1820 north fifty degrees twenty minutes, west twenty-eight chains fourteen links to a corner of a lot of land sold to Joseph Eckert, then along the same south forty-two and three-quarter degrees west four chains seventy-one links, then north forty-five degrees forty-five minutes west seven chains to the center of a highway leading to Kutsonville; the two last courses are as the needle now points; then as it pointed in 1820 south twenty-nine degrees and forty-five minutes west seven chains and fifty links to a lot bought by Samuel Aldrich and others, then south fifty degrees twenty minutes east twenty-nine chains thirty links to a stone set by the westerly side of the aforesaid highway, then along the same to the beginning, containing thirty-six acres of land.

Also all that other lot purchased from Samuel Aldrich and others, and bounded as follows, namely: North by the above described lot, east by the public highway, south by lands of Peter Van Aken, west by the lands of Abram Vernooy, containing forty acres of land more or less.

Also all that other lot of land which is known as the same farm formerly owned by Jonathan Terwilliger, and is bounded as follows, namely: Beginning at a corner of land belonging to the heirs of William Roseckrans, from thence south seventy-five degrees and thirty minutes west two chains sixteen links to the line of the first described lot, then along the same north forty-seven degrees west ten chains thirty-one links, then north forty degrees and forty-five minutes east four chains and seventy-four links, then south thirty-two degrees forty-five minutes east eleven chains ninety-four links to the beginning, containing three acres and eight-tenths of an acre of land.
Dated February 23, 1874.
GARDINIER SMITH, Assignee.
VAN ETTEN & CLEARWATER, Attorneys.

The sale of the above described premises is hereby postponed until the first day of June, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated May 20th, 1874.
GARDINIER SMITH, Assignee.
VAN ETTEN & CLEARWATER, Attorneys.

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF ULSTER. Theodore Frederick, Plaintiff, against Edward Kiernan, James Cummings and Catherine Cummings his wife, Michael Reynolds and Bridget Reynolds his wife, Osmer B. Wheeler, William H. Stoddard, William D. Dickey, Chauncey Keator and Reuben Bernard, as executors of the last will and testament of Henry H. Keator, deceased, George Kiersted, George N. Fredenburgh, Robert L. Mulford, Cortland A. Sprague, The State of New York National Bank, Lorenzo Dubois, Moses W. Schepmoes, John Rowe, Jessie Dunlap as Executrix, and William J. Dixon as executor of the last will and testament of Archibald A. Dunlap, deceased, Albert Van Winkle, Elizabeth R. Kidd, John Derrenbacher, Frederick Stephan, Franklin H. Delano, Bridget O'Toole, Thomas Hart, Hamlet Hart and the Poughkeepsie Savings Bank, defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a judgment of foreclosure and sale made in the above entitled action on the second day of March, 1874, the subscriber, referee for that purpose duly appointed, will sell at public auction at the Court House in the city of Kingston, in the County of Ulster, on the thirtieth day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, the real estate and mortgaged premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the city, (formerly village) of Kingston, in the County of Ulster, and State of New York, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of a frame building adjoining the brewery of the said Clarissa Smith on the southerly side of Hurley avenue and runs thence south thirty degrees, west one hundred and fifty-six feet and five inches, thence south thirteen and a half degrees, east thirty-nine feet parallel with Bridge street, thence north eighty-one degrees, east ninety-three feet, thence north seven and three quarters degrees, west fifty-eight feet, thence in range with the centre of the brewery wall fourteen feet and seven inches to the southeast corner of said brewery wall, thence along the center of said wall sixty-four feet and seven inches to Huley avenue, thence along said avenue north sixty degrees, west fifty-one feet, four inches to the place of beginning, and all other rights and privileges in the deed to said Cummings and Kiernan specified, reference to which will more fully appear.
Dated March 5, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT, Plaintiff's Attorney, Haverstraw, N. Y.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice (Theodore Frederick against Edward Kiernan and others,) is postponed to the 24th day of April, 1874 at the same hour and place.
Dated March 30th, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT Plaintiff's Attorney.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice (Theodore Frederick agst. Edward Kiernan and others) is further postponed to the 22d day of May, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated April 24, 1874.
D. E. KEYSER, Referee.
GEORGE W. WEIANT, Plaintiff's Attorney.

SUPREME COURT, Ulster County, Alva S. Staples against William Golden and Mary Golden, his wife, Thomas Hamilton, The National Bank of Rondout, William A. Fanning, Anthony Koons and others, and Alva S. Staples against William Golden and Mary Golden his wife, and others.

In pursuance and by virtue of two judgments or decrees of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above-entitled actions by the Supreme Court, on the 4th day of April, 1874, and entered in the Clerk's office of Ulster County on the 7th day of April, 1874, the subscriber, a referee for that purpose appointed in and by the said judgments or decrees, will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Kingston, in said county, on the 2d day of May, 1874, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, the lands and premises described in said judgments or decrees as follows, to wit: All that certain lot of land situated in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, and described as follows: Beginning at a cedar post at the northeast corner of lot numbered one hundred and twenty-one, as laid down on a map of the property of the Presidents, Managers and Company of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company, thence along Division street fifty feet, thence one hundred and three feet to the rear of lot number two hundred and two, thence along the rear of lots two hundred and two and two hundred and one, to the southwest corner of lot number two hundred and twenty-two, thence along lots two hundred and twenty-two and two hundred and twenty-one to the place of beginning; being the whole of lot No. 220 and ten feet front and rear of lot No. 219, and being the same lot conveyed to William Golden by Thomas Cornell and wife, by deed dated June 1st, 1859, and recorded in Ulster County Clerk's office, in book No. 108 of deeds, page 249, &c.
Dated April 8th, 1874.
E. D. BRANDOW, Referee.
E. S. WOOD, Plaintiff's Attorney.

The sale of the premises described in the above notice is hereby postponed until the 10th day of July, 1874, at the same hour and place.
Dated May 2, 1874.
E. D. BRANDOW, Referee.

SUPREME COURT, Ulster County, Benjamin I. Van Aken, against John Barley and Emma G. Barley, his wife, Esther M. Van Hoevenburgh, Bruyn VanKeuren and William Neil.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree and judgment of foreclosure granted in this action and entered in the Ulster County Clerk's office, May 11th, 1874, I, the subscriber, referee, duly appointed for such purpose, will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y., on the 6th day of June, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day the following described lands and premises, being the same described in the complaint and judgment in this action, viz.: All that certain village lot situate lying and being in the village of Kingston, in Ulster county aforesaid, on the westerly side of East Front street, and is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at East Front street, at the northerly corner of lot formerly Christopher Deit's, now in possession of Abraham S. Schoonmaker, thence along East Front street north, twenty-seven degrees west, fifty feet to the bounds of lot of Henry Stall, then south seventy degrees west along his bounds; one hundred and forty-seven feet to a stone, then south twenty-seven degrees east, a line parallel with East Front street to the lot of Abraham S. Schoonmaker aforesaid; then north sixty-three degrees, east one hundred and forty-seven feet along his bounds to the place of beginning, said lot being fifty feet front and rear, and one hundred and forty-seven feet deep.
Dated May 11th, 1874.
HENRY E. McKENZIE, Referee.
BERNARD & FIERO, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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The Daily Freeman.

Kingston, Thursday Morning, May 21.

Won't Mr. Beecher be kind enough to put that "span of bays" in the stable and hitch up some other horses, so as to relieve our nerves from the strain of seeing the item about them not less than fifty times a day?

Boston is aggravated over the resolution of the Cunard Steamship Company not to make that city a place of departure for the ships of said line in future. The exactions on freight of the Western railroads are said to have something to do with the withdrawal of the boats. Boston had better hurry up the tunnel communication.

According to the dispatches of the morning papers, they celebrated the victory of Baxter at Little Rock in a very original way. The dispatches say: "The room was immediately filled with friends congratulating the Governor. A seventy-four pounder was fired, followed by 101 guns from two parrots. Intense enthusiasm prevailed." It isn't often that so many guns as that can be got "from two parrots," but the birds had probably been *trained* for some time. Or didn't they scream instead? In either case so singular an exhibition must have been naturally followed by "intense enthusiasm." But how did they divide the odd gun between them?

One certain result of the Mill River disaster will be the extensive advertising of one of Charles Reade's novels by means of the universal comparisons the papers enter into between the Massachusetts calamity and the one in England so well described by the author. A possibility so great and yet so horrible is suggested by this fact that we can scarcely bring ourselves to hint at it. *Did the publishers of Reade's stories bribe the dam-watchman* (no profanity intended) *to let out the water?* Worse things have disgraced the trade and we hope the authorities will have the courage to investigate this gloomy shadow of crime.

Mrs. Hallock was one of the speakers at the Woman's Educational Society and expressed herself upon the current topic of cremation. Said the lady, "I hate a funeral almost as much as a wedding." If Mrs. Hallock is a widow she has hurt her chances dreadfully, and if she is not, where is Mr. Hallock and what does he think makes Mrs. Hallock go on in that way? Worse yet—the lady wants to be "thrown into the sea" when she dies. Won't somebody "aquate" her while the tide is up?

The Minnesota farmers have now an opportunity of learning what Solomon meant by saying that "the grasshopper shall be a burden." One of the most harmless of insects to all outward appearance as he chirps in the summer grass, he can, when he has massed his myriads and is bent on doing damage, make himself more formidable than an army with banners—or even the most approved and dangerous weapons of war. Vegetation in Minnesota is said to be suffering severely from this pest already, with a prospect of being seriously crippled unless the grasshoppers can be induced to move on soon. But what an expensive commentary on a single text.

That Dam.

It is one of the rustiest of old saws that what is worth doing at all is worth doing well; if the constructors of that Massachusetts dam had acted upon this principle we—but all know the rest. All ages have had shams to show and ours cannot be expected to furnish an exception. We build houses which are able to stand up only because they lean against each other and railways that constantly prove by the absence of more frequent and more terrible "accidents" that miracles are yet common. We are all in a race to get rich, taking the chances of disease, death and perdition as cavalierly as a Spanish bull-fighter does in the ring. The tricks of paint, gingerbread-work, varnish and show are studied with marvellous avidity, but nobody does anything to last.—"Life is short, we cannot afford to waste it upon hidden things," is the creed of the hour. "We must make our mark in a day, build our factory in six months, construct our dam in one, and get our goods to market before the mortar sets." God is not to be balked and so a mill tumbles down at Lawrence, a boiler bursts at Shawangunk, a reservoir breaks at Mill River, and so on, scattering horror over a community and leaving sorrows which time can heal only in part. What a set of shallow fools men are.

The New Moiety Bill.

The passage of the Roberts moiety bill by the House, with hardly a show of opposition, is a triumph for the patient and long-suffering merchants who have been so lately waked up to a sense of the legislation demanded by their interests. The bill abolishes the moiety system, makes a merchant's books and papers sacred to the use of their owner, and sweeps away the arbitrary processes by which they could be procured under the old laws; it decreases and rationalizes the forfeitures on under-valued invoices, and renders the penalties for a violation of the revenue laws surer of collection by making them moderate in amount. Should the bill finally become a law the days of our Sanborns and Jaynes will be numbered for the present. The merchants' committee, who have been anxiously watching the nature and progress of the bill thus far, are said to be well satisfied with it as a whole in the shape in which it passed the House. There yet remains the danger that it may fail in the Senate. The latter body is much less sensitive to public opinion, whether that opinion is well founded or not, than the House and may for that or other reasons delay to put the measure through. Why this should be so, is difficult for outsiders uninitiated in the devious ways of Washington legislative tricks and manners to understand; but the fear exists and is expressed by the friends of the bill at the capital. And they may be presumed to know the occasion they have for it. Should their apprehensions be ultimately justified by facts, the Senate of the United States will have descended lower in the scale which marks the degrees of honor than we believed to be possible, even in these degenerate times. If the receiver is as bad as the thief, what of legislators who shilly-shally with a measure intended to prevent stealing? Senators have long terms sometimes, but they will do well not to forget that injured men have equally long memories.

Railroads and Romance.

One by one, like rose leaves falling in the later weeks of summer, the elements of romance are being knocked out of life. Poetry itself is becoming a machine for money-making and a publisher's estimate of the modern rhymster is based on how much he will sell, not how high he will soar. Facts—hard, tough, unmalleable facts—are coming to view in such profusion that the wings of imagination must bear their possessor to those out-of-the-way regions described by Jules Verne, or remain ingloriously folded in sadness and defeat. The loneliest and loveliest retreats of nature are assailed by the professional tourist with his guide-book in one hand and opera-glass in the other, while the vast superficies of the rocks are degraded into advertising media for Dr. Bolus' Patent Purgative Pills or Jones' Highly Elastic Baby Jumper. And now they are talking of building a railway to the summit of Mt. Vesuvius. There was a time—but why weep for it? That time is gone, like Yorick, the jester, never to smile on us again. But what a time it was! when to have climbed the cone and smelled the sulphurous fumes of Vesuvius was something to make a man (much more a lady) conspicuous that had done it, and afforded almost exhaustless material for stories to the young folks around the evening fire. A flavor of romance still lingers about the flame-capped peak of Mt. Blanc as the gazer sees from the valley of Chamounix; for a railroad has not been threatened there as yet. Therefore it is not absurd to think that for a few more years the little phalanx of brave spirits who have attained or shall attain during the passage of a decade to come those heights where only the chamois and the eagle are at home, will be privileged to boast of the achievement and wear the badge of an honorable distinction. After that—nothing but memory mingled with hate to the Mephistopheles of machinery! The Alpine Club will no more startle the world by hair-raising narratives of personal adventures upon the glaciers and of the sudden disappearance down the awful cliffs or in the yawning crevasses, of guides and companions, never to be seen or heard of any more. The restless demon of what men call progress will have changed all that. We shall soon have the time-tables of the various tip-top mountain railways duly posted in the hotels at their respective termini and advertised in the journals of the day. If Smith—then staying in Naples for a week or so—happens to be wanted by his friend Scraggs for a stroll or a quiet game of seven-up about ten o'clock in the morning, the waiter or clerk will simply tell Scraggs that Smith took the nine o'clock express for the crater, promising to be back to lunch. Rather than wait, Scraggs goes up himself in the eleven o'clock way to find Smith seated on a block of lava at the apex of the mountain talking "horse" with old Blowhard from Wall street, who has the gout. And—but the prospect is horrible and we forbear. If we are to preserve any fragment of romance to bequeath to our children, this thing must be stopped where it is. The river courses and lowlands may indicate where the engineer is authorized to plan a railroad—but let us teach the confounded fellow with his tripod to stay away from the highest rocks of the world. If he does go, may the thin air collapse his lungs and the mouths of volcanos swallow him up forever.

CURRENT TOPICS.

—Smith Weed seems to have been mistaken about that smuggled item in the Supply Bill.

—Nevada has only ten candidates for Governor. What a chance to get up a row that would knock the spots off of Arkansas.

—Several duels are said to be impending in France. It begins to look like the good old days.

—Barnum must be interested in the decision that allows a man and his wife to enter any entertainment on a ticket saying "admit one."

—Count Chambord is the "Wandering Jew" of France. Nobody knows where he is, and a paper offers a reward for his capture. Better offer a reward to keep him out of the country.

—Old people will rejoice and young ones regret that the prospects are that Fourth of July will be generally celebrated in a very quiet way this year. But wait till 1876!

—Brooks turned out to be the cowardly braggart we supposed him and sneaked away from the State House like a whipped school boy.

—The Swing trial at Chicago will result in the acquittal of the accused. As an indication that a man can be allowed liberty of opinion in the Presbyterian church this is very cheering.

—The attractions of California as a summer touring ground have greatly diminished for romantic young ladies since Vasquez was captured.

—Has anybody thought of this idea in connection with the woman movement? The Poughkeepsie women announce that no more public meetings will be held until they get through house cleaning. Must reform be stopped by such petty affairs as this?

—Surely John Bull's valor is diminishing, or else he has a keen eye to business. Magee, the minister who was whipped at San Jose de Gautemala, has had his wounded honor healed by a $10,000 plaster from the Gautemalan government. If this is the way things are to work hereafter, hadn't Parliament better fix a list of prices for thrashing British representatives? If it costs $10,000 to whip a mere minister, what would it be worth to trounce a lord?

—The New York World indulges in what seems to us a splenetic attack on a Massachusetts railroad because its correspondents happened to be detained by the breaking down of a bridge by the recent flood. Such a calamity would demoralize not merely the inhabitants for many miles around, but even railroad officials and the World would show more charity and good sense by postponing its attack till some season when it was more reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

—Harry Bassett has permanently retired from the race-course.

—A Missouri paper which has something to say about Carl Schurz informs the public that "as an amateur pianist he is no slouch."

—Georgetown, Ky., has a dentist who advertises to pull teeth "without pain to the operator, and with very little to the bystanders."

—The New York Commercial says that Weston don't mind his long walk so much, but the scenery along the road did become rather monotonous.

—Rev. Dr. Falsenthal, the learned Jewish rabbi, says that a "drunkard among the Jews is a very rare and a very exceptional person."

—A colored lawyer prosecuted the colored rioters in Louisville, Ky. He told the court that he blushed for his brethren. The court couldn't detect it.

—Four state-rooms were engaged to accommodate Nilsson on the Scotia. Her voice or something, must be greatly enlarging in compass.

—"Blind Dan," a beggar who has stood on the street corners of Louisville, Ky., for eighteen years, died there the other day, leaving property estimated from $25,000 to $50,000.

—For playing upon a jewsharp in church during divine service in New Britain, Conn., Wm. Rathburn has been fined $10, notwithstanding he defended his solos by quotations from the Bible.

—The attention of female crusaders is called to the English invention of grog trains to run round dinner tables, the engine carrying hot water and the carriages loaded with cigars and whisky.

—"I tell you," said a Wisconsin man to a neighbor next day after burying his wife, "when I came to get in bed and lay thar', and not hear Lucinda jawing around for an hour and a half, it just made me feel as if I'd moved into a strange country."

—Now-a-days when a white-chokered gentleman is observed getting out of a neighborhood at the rate of five miles an hour, with a look of fierce determination in his eye, and a carpet-bag in his hand, the general impression seems to be that he is going off somewhere to start a new religious denomination.

—John Davis, of Kansas, was beating a carpet, when he suddenly paused and said, "Cuss this carpet!" and the next moment dropped dead. Wives will hereafter, we hope, take warning and beat their own carpets.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The Boston Post is opposed to the proposition to fill the position of conductor on railroads with women. "Their trains are always behind," says the Post. Yes, and most women are so timid, and none but the brave deserve the fare, you know.

TELEGRAPH.

REGULAR DISPATCHES TO DAILY FREEMAN

FOREIGN.

FRANCE.

Bonapartists to be Excluded from the Cabinet.

PARIS, May 20.—The ministerial crisis continues. The only progress made to-day was an agreement between President MacMahon and the Right Centre that no Bonapartist should be called to the Cabinet, which includes Magne.

GREAT BRITAIN.

End of the Lockout.

LONDON, May 20.—The protracted lockout of farm laborers in Lincolnshire has been ended by a settlement which will probably be adopted in other agricultural districts of England.

Spanish News.

The Carlists report that the republicans lost 500 killed and wounded in the engagement of yesterday, which took place at Canabieja.

The New French Ministry.

LONDON, May 21—5:30 A. M.—The Daily News special dispatch from Paris says a Cabinet has been formed. Its principal members are Goulard, Decazes, Lavergne, Grivart and Cezanc, all of whom belong to the moderate section of the Right and Right Centre. The object of the new government is to conciliate both centres, in order to carry the septennial constitution through the Assembly.

METROPOLITAN NEWS.

Meeting of the State Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 20.—At a meeting of the New York State Associated Press, held at the Metropolitan Hotel this morning, the following officers were elected: President, Jas. Warren of the Buffalo Courier; Secretary and Treasurer, H. O. R. Tucker of the Troy Times; Executive Committee, Wm. Purcell of the Rochester Union, Carrol E. Smith of the Syracuse Journal, J. C. Cuyler of the Albany Express, M. P. Williams of the Hudson Register, E. D. G. Hazard of the Elmira Gazette. After the transaction of the usual routine business and the adoption of a resolution of thanks to Breslin, Purcell & Co., proprietors of the Metropolitan Hotel, for courtesies extended the association adjourned.

The State Charities.

A conference of delegates from the State Boards of Charities was held this morning at Association Hall in connection with the meeting of the Social Science Association. J. V. L. Pruyn of Albany presided. The delegates present were Chairman Nathan Bishop of this city, Wm. P. Letchworth of Buffalo, S. F. Miller of Delaware county, Dr. Charles Hoyt of Albany, Mrs. Wm. P. Leynde and Mrs. H. H. Giles of Wisconsin, Mrs. M. R. Petee, Secretary of the State Board of Connecticut, and F. B. Sanborn, General Secretary from Massachusetts. Dr. John B. Chapin of the Willard Asylum, New York, read a paper on the duty of states towards their insane poor. The paper claimed that if it is conceded that the safety of the community requires that the personal liberty of the insane be restrained, an obligation rests upon the state to direct that the restraint be properly and humanely exercised. Dr. Chapin argues that it is of the first importance that the state should clearly define the legal status of our insane dependent in view of the recent cases. There should be ample asylum accommodations, and in all asylums there should be supplemental departments in which tranquil and manageable patients could be made comfortable.

Arrival of Mennonites.

A party of Russian Mennonites, fifty-five in number, arrived in the steamer City of Richmond. They are to settle in Yankton, Dakota Territory. Large numbers of their brethren are coming here shortly.

THE CENTENNIAL.

Report of Subscriptions and Expenditures.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—At a meeting of the United States Centennial Commission this morning thirty-three members were present. A financial statement was made, showing the total subscription to be $4,405,200; the total expenses to May 1st, including plans and work on grounds, were $144,712, and the estimate of the total cost of the buildings, according to designs, $8,750,000.

The report of the Executive Committee, in relation to the refusal of Congress to pass an appropriation for the Centennial, says: "Profoundly impressed with the responsibility resting on the commission, and being conscious of having performed to the best of our ability the duty imposed on us by an act of Congress, we respectfully submit that without the governmental aid which has been requested it will be impossible to render the celebration creditable to the nation and worthy of the occasion it is intended to commemorate. The responsibility, therefore, for the success of the Centennial International Exhibition now clearly rests with Congress.

THE CRUSADERS.

They are Dismissed, but are Warned against Repeating the Act.

CINCINNATI, May 20.—Forty-three temperance women who were arrested last Saturday were tried in the Police Court to-day. The court room was crowded and a great mass of people unable to get in waited outside the building. Hon. Stanley Matthews and Judge Hogans appeared as counsel for the ladies. The defense was conducted by the latter. Testimony was heard on both sides and the case was submitted without argument. The charge was for the violation of a city ordinance by obstructing sidewalks. Judge Marchant stated that there had been a tyrannical violation of law, but in view of the lack of a bad motive on the part of the defendants, he would dismiss them, which he did with an admonition that if the act was repeated they would be liable to arrest and punishment. At the conclusion of the trial the defendants marched to the Ninth street Baptist Church, where the leagues and committees were in session.

THE MASSACHUSETTS DISASTER.

Money Much Needed.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The following dispatch was received from Northampton to the Associated Press:

The impression has gone abroad that we have funds enough. Such is not the fact. Our actual receipts are $6,891 and our necessities will require over $100,000.

L. BODMAN, Treasurer Relief Committee.

Generosity of an Express Company.

BUFFALO, May 20.—The American Express Company will receive and forward gratis all money or articles of necessity for the Massachusetts sufferers by the flood.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Work on the New Capitol to be Resumed.

ALBANY, May 20.—The Commissioners of the New Capitol building were in session here this afternoon. It is expected that work will be resumed June 1st.

Phelps' Case Again Postponed.

The case of Chas. H. Phelps for alleged frauds on the State Treasury has been postponed until the third Monday in September.

State Treasurer Raines

has been removed to Canandaigua. His aberration of mind is said to have taken a religious turn.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

A Resolution of Censure.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Committee on Ways and Means to-day authorized Mr. Foster to report a resolution censuring the Secretary of the Treasury, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and Solicitor Banfield for lax and careless administration of the law in the Sanborn contract cases.

Death of a Soldier.

General A. B. Dyer, of the Ordnance Department, died here to-day.

The Restoration of Certain Duties.

The Committee on Ways and Means to-day, by a vote of 8 to 2, expressed themselves as opposed to the restoration of the ten per cent. taken off the rate of duty on certain articles in the second section of the tariff act of June 6th, 1872. These articles are manufactures of cotton, wool and steel, metals and manufactures of metals, excepting percussion caps, watches, jewelry and other articles of ornament, paper and manufactures of india rubber, gutta percha or straw, oil cloths and all descriptions of glass and glass ware, leather and all manufactures of skins, bone, ivory, horn and leather, except gloves and mittens; in other words, the committee are opposed to increasing the duty on the above-named articles, leaving them at their present rate. The restoration of ten per cent. would increase the revenue about eight millions annually, but the Committee on Ways and Means seem to think no such increase of tariff necessary.

A Queer Way of Doing Business.

In the District investigation to-day Adolf Cluss, engineer and member of the Board of Public Works, testified that the Vice President, against the protest of engineers of the office, was in the habit of detailing Mr. Oertley, an assistant engineer, and giving him private instructions with reference to measurements. The measurements made by this assistant were not under his (witness') supervision, and he would not be responsible for them. He stated that he had nothing to do with the estimate on which the government appropriation of $1,240,000 was the base. It was by Oertley, and he (witness) never saw it until it appeared in print in the Governor's answer. Witness stated that although Oertley was one of his subordinates he had not seen him in his office in a fortnight.

By Mr. Allison—Where is he?

Answer—Making up a statement for this committee.

Witness stated that all important contracts made were awarded without consulting him as engineer and without his knowledge as a member of the Board. The Vice President made contracts. The minutes of the Board were made up in a committee meeting with Shepherd at one corner of the table, Willard at another and Magruder at another and their agreeing to something and calling it a meeting. I protested to Magruder once and he said, "Well, they have agreed to the proposition which you opposed. There is a majority and the majority rules." Such action was then entered as a meeting of the Board and spread on the minutes. Whenever the Vice President sat down to write a contract it was considered as a Board meeting, whether any of the Board but him were present or not.—Some work was once proposed to be done which I considered unnecessary. It was said it must be done, as assessments were made out for the work. I asked to see the assessments, and was bluffed off. There have been many contracts let and men were at work on streets before the engineer of the department was notified of the award. There never was any vote passed officially by the Board that designated to what contractor should be paid the government appropriations.

Q.—Who measured the work of the Evans Concrete Company?

A.—Mr. William Forsyth.

Q.—Who designated him?

A.—I did not.

Q.—Did you object to him?

A.—I did not know anything about the designation until the work was measured. This work amounted to about $1,000,000, and was certified without my knowledge.

Q.—Have you ever discovered a mistake made by Forsyth?

A.—Frequently. When I took charge I found an error made by him of 4,000 yards in the De Golyer and McClellan measurements. He tried to bully me, and said his figures had never been questioned for twenty-five years and should not be now. I told Gov. Shepherd and he requested me to go over the work, which I did, and corrected the mistake. Forsyth made an excessive measurement to Frank M. Smith of 2,000 yards on the M street wood pavement. I corrected that measurement also. There was a case with another Smith, on B street, between Second and Third streets, an overmeasurement of 400 square yards. I insisted that another man be designated to make the measurements. I then secured Mr. Barney, a good man.

Q.—Did Mr. Forsyth make any measurements after that?

A.—Not under my direction. He did under somebody else's and measured the government work. Witness then explained the discrepancy of a certain grading of Massachusetts avenue. He said the final award of 105,000 yards was made; he thought 50,000 yards would cover all the grading done. The price paid for flagging witness thought was too much. Contracts were frequently signed after the work was commenced. It was the rule generally to have the contractors sign contracts and then the Board signed them at its leisure in bulk. Witness testified that an average price for sewer work chargeable to the government would be $2.70 per foot, instead of $4.70, as charged. Witness computed the cost of good wood pavement layed in Washington at $2.49 per square yard. To this he would add twenty per cent. for profit. The Board paid $3.50 per square yard.

Q.—Do you know anything about the grading of Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets, near the War Department?

A.—The District has paid for grading, $31,095.40 and the government is charged for $25,172. This is not an overcharge, but is incongruous.

Q.—Well, explain that.

A.—Well, if you buy a horse for $500 and a man brings you the bill to pay for two mules at $250 each you are cheated. You pay the correct amount, but in a wrong way.

Q.—Is that the way the government accounts have been kept?

A.—It seems so.

Q.—Explain that again.

A.—Well, you see John O. Evans did the work. There were actually about 46,000 square yards. Evans was allowed about $1 per yard. Some put it at 75,000 yards at 50 cents per yard. This is the way it was done: The G street sewer cost $2,125; they have charged the government $8,195 for it. The grading on Maryland avenue between First and Fifteenth streets cost the Board $85,418.56; the United States has paid $95,020.83.

Q.—How do you account for this?

A.—I cannot account for it. I have taken the accounts and made up a statement.

Q.—In North Carolina avenue the amount charged to the United States is $31,306.67; the cost to the Board is $9,821.70. How do you account for that discrepancy?

A.—I cannot account for it. I have taken the records of the engineer's office for my statement.

Q.—On Connecticut avenue the cost is $16,933.70. The United States has paid over $21,000. How is that accounted for?

A.—I know no reason why it should be so. I have taken the records.

Q.—What do you know about filling the canal?

A.—Not a voucher has passed into the engineer's office for filling up the canal. Most of the earth came from the streets and avenues. Witness read from a journal of the engineer's office certain applications made by Albert Gleason for grading work on certain streets in the southwestern and other portions of the city. He found five days after this application was made that Assistant Engineer Oertley, without the aid of instruments, rodmen or anybody to help him, had made an estimate of all the streets, which was delivered to Mr. Gleason by order. There were vouchers for $148,230.11. Asked Oertley how he did this, and he said I must not blame him as he was following out the Vice President's order.

Q.—Who was Vice President then?

A.—Shepherd. On looking this case up he found another voucher was passed, which was concealed from him, for about $75,000. Could not see how twelve streets could be measured in five days without instruments or rodmen or assistance of any kind. Witness stated that Shepherd appointed all the Street Superintendents; that they had not been paid for several months, and they would generally sign anything as correct; that last summer 140 Superintendents were employed; and that had they been appointed and controlled by the engineer department, as they should have been, 60 good men could have done the work more satisfactorily. Witness considered Oertley a good engineer if he wanted to be, but he acted under orders. He did not think Oertley had been honest with the committee; that he had submitted labels which conceal the truth rather than state it. He thought the system of the Board in keeping accounts very complicated and it was difficult to make anything out of them.

Mr. Allison—I quite agree with you.

Witness, resuming—Up to January last, from October, 1872, to January, 1874, there have not been more than eight meetings of the Board of Public Works. Contracts were generally awarded by Gov. Shepherd with one stroke of his pen, without advising or consulting the Board. Witness does not know why expensive pavements were constructed in uninhabited portions of the city. It was done without his being a party to it. Knew that expensive pavements had been laid in places where wood would rot before being inhabited along the line. Witness testified that Dr. Gilbert, contractor, got a final measurement on work in course of progress and then, after being paid, left for parts unknown.

Cluss will be re-called to-morrow.

Mr. Mellish's Condition.

Representative Mellish continues in a critical condition. He seems to be growing weaker and generally resists food. It is thought he is liable to die at any time from nervous collapse.

The Durell Impeachment.

The names of six members of the House Judiciary Committee who voted in committee for the impeachment of Judge Durell are Butler, Poland, Wilson and White, Republicans, and Eldridge and Potter, Democrats. The four who were against impeachment are, Ward, Tremain, Frye and Cessna, Republicans, Jewett, Democrat, being absent.

THE SHYSTER GOVERNOR.

Moses Turns the Tables on the Sheriff.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 20.—The statement that Gov. Moses last night submitted to arrest turns out to be incorrect. He had concluded to yield and had sent his carriage for an officer empowered to make arrests, but at the last moment changed his mind and again refused to be arrested. This morning he obtained a warrant for the arrest of the Orangeburgh Sheriff on a charge of attempting illegally to arrest the Governor, but the Sheriff had left Columbia this morning. The Solicitor reported the Governor's resistance to arrest and inquired what steps the Court would take to enforce its authority. The Court replied that for the present it did not see its way clear to a successful fight with the state militia, and further action would be held under advisement.

ARKANSAS.

Resignation of the State Treasurer—Action of the Legislature.

LITTLE ROCK, May 20.—Hon. Henry Page, State Treasurer, to-day resigned.

Both branches of the Legislature passed a joint resolution appointing a committee to investigate the conduct of Senators Clayton and Dorsey and the Representatives in Congress in attempting to overthrow the state government.

Commissioners were appointed to supervise and control the ensuing election for delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

A bill of pardon and amnesty to those engaged in the late insurrection was introduced in the House.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.

A Man Killed by Nitro Glycerine.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 20.—At Warrensburgh this forenoon David Mead of French Mountain picked up in the street what he supposed was a stone, but upon throwing it from him it exploded, injuring him dreadfully. It was a nitro glycerine exploder, used in mining. He cannot recover.

THE SWING TRIAL.

Vindication of the Accused.

CHICAGO, May 20.—A vote was reached to-day in the Presbyterian Council engaged in the Swing heresy trial, and it resulted in the triumphant vindication of the accused. The vote stood 15 for to 45 against conviction. The friends of Prof. Swing are jubilant.

THE WEATHER.

To-Day's Probabilities.

For the New England and Middle States cloudy and cool weather and rain will prevail, with southerly to variable winds and stationary to rising barometer in the last named district and falling to rising barometer in New England.

UNITED STATES CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 20.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

Mr. PRATT of Indiana spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. THURMAN said he knew the bill was to pass, though not because of its merits. He did not believe that one-third of the Senate, if left untrammeled by outside pressure, would vote for the bill. There were 800,000 colored voters in the United States, and their demands had more power in this chamber than the Constitution of the United States itself. If the fate of this measure depended upon its own merits it would require very little ability to show that it should not pass. He argued at some length as to the constitutional power of Congress, and said this bill did not propose to deal with states, but it dealt with individuals so states could provide punishment to secure civil rights. The federal government by this bill could seize the citizen and punish him the second time. In the state of Louisiana, for instance, every offence mentioned in this bill was punishable by state law, yet it was proposed to have a second punishment by the strong arm of federal power. The effect of the bill would be to break up the common school system, and the result would be that both white and colored children would go without education.

A resolution of the House providing for an adjournment of the session of Congress on the 22d of June was read and agreed to.

Messrs. Sargent, Morrill of Maine and Davis were appointed members of a committee of conference on the part of the Senate on the naval appropriation bill.

Pending discussion on the civil rights bill the Senate proceeded to consider the action of executive business.

Adjourned at 5 o'clock P. M.

HOUSE.

The claim of E. H. Roberts yesterday on behalf of the Republican party of the credit for purifying itself was again criticised by Wood, Holman and Randall, and was defended by Roberts and Tyner.

After a long discussion the amendment offered by Mills, making the agricultural report free of postage, was adopted by a vote of 110 to 68, and then Hoar's proposition as thus amended was agreed to. Without getting through the bill the committee rose.

Mr. O'NEIL of Pennsylvania, from the Appropriation Committee, reported the pension appropriation bill. The appropriation asked for is about $30,000,000.

The House at 5:15 P. M. adjourned.

COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 20.

FLOUR—Quiet and prices without decided change. Receipts 13,000 bbls. Sales 11,000 bbls. at $5.60@5.85 for superfine State and Western; $6.15@6.65 for common to choice extra; $6.60@6.70 for common to choice extra Western; $6.15@7.45 for common to good shipping brands extra round hoop Ohio. Rye Flour quiet and unchanged. Sales 300 bbls. at $4.85@6.00 ⅌ barrel.

GRAIN—Wheat 1 ct. better and in moderate demand. Receipts 130,000 bu. Sales 74,000 bu. at $1.46@1.50 for No. 2 Chicago; $1.53½@1.54½ for No. 2 Milwaukee; $1.56@1.59 for No. 1 Spring. Rye quiet. Receipts none. Sales none. Corn firm. Receipts 34,000 bu. Sales 44,000 bus. at 84@87 for new Western mixed. Barley dull and nominal. Receipts none. Sales none. Oats firm. Receipts 33,000 bu. Sales 38,000 bu. at 64@65 for mixed Western; 66@67½ for White Western.

PROVISIONS—Pork heavy. Rec'ts 100 bbls. Sales at $17.90@18.00 for new Mess. Beef steady. Cut Meats quiet; 7½ for dry salted Shoulders. Lard firm. Receipts 300 tierces. Sales at 11½ for steam; 11½@11¾ for kettle rendered. Butter 27@33 for State and Pennsylvania, new. Cheese 12@16 for common to prime. Sugar steady. Eggs 15½@16 for State and Pennsylvania.

OSWEGO MARKET.

OSWEGO, May 20.

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged and in moderate demand; part speculative; choice White Canada at $1.82, No. 1 Milwaukee Club, car lots at $1.48; round lots of the latter offered at $1.46.

STOCK and MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 20.

Customs receipts $232,000. Treasury disbursements $287,000. Specie shipments to-day $460,000 and $830,000 engaged so far for to-morrow's steamers. Money loaned at 2 per cent., closed at 2½. Sterling $4.87½@4.88 for 60 days, $4.90½@4.91 for sight. Gold opened at 12½, closed at 12¼—the only two prices for the day. Carrying rates 1@3, closing at 2. Clearings $20,000,000. State bonds firm. Railroad bonds quiet and steady. Stocks opened strong at ⅛@½ advance over yesterday's closing prices, but fluctuated ½@1, until the last hour of business, when the market became weak and prices declined to the lowest point of the day, the fall having ranged from ¾ to 1½ per cent.; shortly before the close a firmer feeling set in and prices recovered ⅛ to ⅝ per cent. in the entire list. Dealings were on a moderate scale and the market presented no special feature. The Executive Committee of the Western Union Directors today informally stated that a cash dividend should be declared, payable in July, but the details and the final disposition of the matter are postponed until the arrival of President Orton, who will probably arrive from Europe on Sunday or Monday next. Gold closed at 12¼. Money 2@3. Governments dull. State bonds quiet. Stocks dull.

STOCKS.

U. S. 6's '81 reg.	119¾	Un. Pacific stock	26⅝
U. S. 6's '81 cou.	121⅛	L. S. & Mich. Sou.	75⅝
U. S. 5-20's '62 reg.	115	Ill. Central	97
U. S. 5-20's '62 cou.	115⅛	Clev. & Pitts.	87⅛
U. S. 6's '64 cou.	117	Chi. & N. West	40⅞
U. S. 6's '65 old.	117⅞	Chi. & N. W. pref.	59⅜
U. S. 6's '65 new	119⅛	Clev., Col. & Cin.	65
U. S. 6's '67	120¾	New Jersey Cen.	105
U. S. 6's '68	120¾	Chi. & R. I.	95⅛
U. S. new fives	115	Mil. & St. Paul	32⅞
U. S. 10-40's, reg.,	114⅜	Mil. & St. P. pref.	51⅜
U. S. 10-40's, cou.	114⅞	Tol. Wab. & W.	36⅜
Currency Sixes	116⅛	Do. pref.	71
Del & Hud Canal	116	Ft. Wayne	93⅛
Canton	50	Alton & T. H.	11
Consol'd Coal Co	40⅛	Do. pref.	22
Cumberland	50	Chicago & Alton	102⅛
West Union Tel.	71⅛	Do. pref.	103
Quicksilver	25	Ohio & Miss.	23⅛
Do. pref.	26	Del. L. & West	107
Pacific Mail	42⅛	Bost. Har. & Erie	1⅛
Boston Water P.	11	Col. Chi. & In. Cen	19
Adams' Express	102⅛	Chi., B. & Q.	102
Wells, F. & Co. Ex.	75	Hannibal & St. Jo.	26⅛
Am. Mer. Un. Ex.	61⅛	Cen. Pacific	91⅛
United States Ex.	67	Union Pacific Bonds	84⅛
N. Y. Cen. & H. R.	97⅛	Tenn. 6's	83
Erie	35⅛	Tenn. 6's new	83
Erie pref.	55	Va. 6's	30
Harlem	128	Va. 6's new	35
Harlem pref.	127	Mo. 6's	97
Mich. Cen.	75	Gold—112⅛.	

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Starboard, avast there, you landshark, if you steer on my corns I'll shiver your timbers. Use Briggs' Corn Remedies, and you won't be afraid of your corns. Sold by R. Deyo, Rondout.

CITY ORDINANCE.—AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate by license the exhibitions of circuses and other shows or entertainments," passed June 17th, 1872.

PASSED May 15th, 1874.

The Common Council of the City of Kingston, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The first section of the ordinance of the City of Kingston entitled "An Ordinance to regulate by license the exhibitions of circuses and other shows or entertainments," passed by the Common Council of said City, June 17, 1872, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. No exhibition of any circus, caravan or menagerie, theatre, curiosities, tricks of legerdemain, or other shows or entertainments hereinafter mentioned, shall be permitted in said city, unless the person or persons intending to make such exhibition shall first obtain a permit in writing from the Mayor for each separate exhibition or performance; for which permit the following sums respectively shall be paid for each separate exhibition or performance, viz:

Circuses—each day's performance, from	$30 to $100 00
Caravans or Menageries—each day's performance	25 00
Side shows accompanying either of the above—each	5 00
Negro Minstrels—each day's performance	10 00
Panoramas—each day	5 00
Concerts	3 00
Necromancy or slight of hand performances	5 00
Exhibitions of natural or artificial curiosities	3 00
Theatres or variety shows, exhibitions, performances, or entertainments—first day	10 00
Theatres or variety shows, exhibitions, performances or entertainments—each day after the first	5 00
Gift entertainments—each day	25 00
Exhibitions of Spiritualism	25 00

All moneys received for such permits shall be paid to the City Treasurer and added to the general fund, and each and every person violating this ordinance shall incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every violation thereof.

SECTION 2. The second section of said ordinance passed June 17, 1872, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. Nothing contained in the first section of this ordinance shall prevent the Common Council from making, in its discretion, contracts or arrangements with the proprietors or lessees of public halls for the payment by them of an annual sum to be agreed upon in lieu of the license or permit fees specified in said section, for any or all exhibitions or performances in such public halls respectively."

JAMES G. LINDSLEY, Mayor.

AUG. SCHEPMOES, City Clerk.

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One 30	H. P.	Engine,	New, highly finished.
" 15	" "	"	Portable, with boiler.
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" 5	" "	"	" "
" 35	" "	Tubular Boiler,	with fixtures.
" 20	" "	" "	Upright.

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FOR SALE.—THE BEAUTIFULly situated residence of Mr. J. H. ZELIE on HURLEY AVENUE in this city called "Hope Cottage." The premises embrace a GOOD HOUSE containing NINE rooms with good cellar under the whole, and coal cellar separate; with excellent well and cistern, all under cover. The lot contains about FIVE ACRES OF EXCELLENT LAND with barn and plenty of fruit, as apples, pears, cherries and plums. The apple orchard is of the best kind, producing in the year 1872, 300 BUSHELS OF CHOICE FRUIT. These premises are about ten minutes' walk from the Court House and five from horse cars. Price low and terms to suit. Inquire of J. H. ZELIE, on the premises, or of WM. H. FREDENBURGH, Main street, Kingston.

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A portion of the above was received recently from a bankrupt stock. I have no rent to pay and can give my patrons the benefit. I invite

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To examine my goods before making a purchase elsewhere. Don't forget the Store

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RONDOUT, opposite the OPERA HOUSE, One door from the DEL. & HUD. CO.'S COAL OFFICE.

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Having removed to my

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IN ALL THE NEW SHADES. Also a complete line of

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Fancy and White Shirts

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Nearly opposite the Post Office.

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SOUTHERN PINE AND CYPRESS LUMBER YARD,

—ON—

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PONCKHOCKIE.

A large assortment of RE-SAWED TIMBER of various sizes and lengths, suitable for

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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

OFFICE IN JOHN ST., OPPOSITE MUSIC HALL.

☞ Special attention paid to the collection of accounts

The Daily Freeman.

Kingston, Thursday Morning, May 21.

Won't Mr. Beecher be kind enough to put that "span of bays" in the stable and hitch up some other horses, so as to relieve our nerves from the strain of seeing the item about them not less than fifty times a day?

Boston is aggravated over the resolution of the Cunard Steamship Company not to make that city a place of departure for the ships of said line in future. The exactions on freight of the Western railroads are said to have something to do with the withdrawal of the boats. Boston had better hurry up the tunnel communication.

According to the dispatches of the morning papers, they celebrated the victory of Baxter at Little Rock in a very original way. The dispatches say: "The room was immediately filled with friends congratulating the Governor. A seventy-four pounder was fired, followed by 101 guns from two parrots. Intense enthusiasm prevailed." It isn't often that so many guns as that can be got "from two parrots," but the birds had probably been *trained* for some time. Or didn't they scream instead? In either case so singular an exhibition must have been naturally followed by "intense enthusiasm." But how did they divide the odd gun between them?

One certain result of the Mill River disaster will be the extensive advertising of one of Charles Reade's novels by means of the universal comparisons the papers enter into between the Massachusetts calamity and the one in England so well described by the author. A possibility so great and yet so horrible is suggested by this fact that we can scarcely bring ourselves to hint at it. *Did the publishers of Reade's stories bribe the dam-watchman* (no profanity intended) *to let out the water?* Worse things have disgraced the trade and we hope the authorities will have the courage to investigate this gloomy shadow of crime.

Mrs. Hallock was one of the speakers at the Woman's Educational Society and expressed herself upon the current topic of cremation. Said the lady, "I hate a funeral almost as much as a wedding." If Mrs. Hallock is a widow she has hurt her chances dreadfully, and if she is not, where is Mr. Hallock and what does he think makes Mrs. Hallock go on in that way? Worse yet—the lady wants to be "thrown into the sea" when she dies. Won't somebody "aquate" her while the tide is up?

The Minnesota farmers have now an opportunity of learning what Solomon meant by saying that "the grasshopper shall be a burden." One of the most harmless of insects to all outward appearance as he chirps in the summer grass, he can, when he has massed his myriads and is bent on doing damage, make himself more formidable than an army with banners—or even the most approved and dangerous weapons of war. Vegetation in Minnesota is said to be suffering severely from this pest already, with a prospect of being seriously crippled unless the grasshoppers can be induced to move on soon. But what an expensive commentary on a single text.

That Dam.

It is one of the rustiest of old saws that what is worth doing at all is worth doing well; if the constructors of that Massachusetts dam had acted upon this principle we—but all know the rest. All ages have had shams to show and ours cannot be expected to furnish an exception. We build houses which are able to stand up only because they lean against each other and railways that constantly prove by the absence of more frequent and more terrible "accidents" that miracles are yet common. We are all in a race to get rich, taking the chances of disease, death and perdition as cavalierly as a Spanish bull-fighter does in the ring. The tricks of paint, gingerbread-work, varnish and show are studied with marvellous avidity, but nobody does anything to last.—"Life is short, we cannot afford to waste it upon hidden things," is the creed of the hour. "We must make our mark in a day, build our factory in six months, construct our dam in one, and get our goods to market before the mortar sets." God is not to be balked and so a mill tumbles down at Lawrence, a boiler bursts at Shawangunk, a reservoir breaks at Mill River, and so on, scattering horror over a community and leaving sorrows which time can heal only in part. What a set of shallow fools men are.

The New Moiety Bill.

The passage of the Roberts moiety bill by the House, with hardly a show of opposition, is a triumph for the patient and long-suffering merchants who have been so lately waked up to a sense of the legislation demanded by their interests. The bill abolishes the moiety system, makes a merchant's books and papers sacred to the use of their owner, and sweeps away the arbitrary processes by which they could be procured under the old laws; it decreases and rationalizes the forfeitures on under-valued invoices, and renders the penalties for a violation of the revenue laws surer of collection by making them moderate in amount. Should the bill finally become a law the days of our Sanborns and Jaynes will be numbered for the present. The merchants' committee, who have been anxiously watching the nature and progress of the bill thus far, are said to be well satisfied with it as a whole in the shape in which it passed the House. There yet remains the danger that it may fail in the Senate. The latter body is much less sensitive to public opinion, whether that opinion is well founded or not, than the House and may for that or other reasons delay to put the measure through. Why this should be so, is difficult for outsiders uninitiated in the devious ways of Washington legislative tricks and manners to understand; but the fear exists and is expressed by the friends of the bill at the capital. And they may be presumed to know the occasion they have for it. Should their apprehensions be ultimately justified by facts, the Senate of the United States will have descended lower in the scale which marks the degrees of honor than we believed to be possible, even in these degenerate times. If the receiver is as bad as the thief, what of legislators who shilly-shally with a measure intended to prevent stealing? Senators have long terms sometimes, but they will do well not to forget that injured men have equally long memories.

Railroads and Romance.

One by one, like rose leaves falling in the later weeks of summer, the elements of romance are being knocked out of life. Poetry itself is becoming a machine for money-making and a publisher's estimate of the modern rhymster is based on how much he will sell, not how high he will soar. Facts—hard, tough, unmalleable facts—are coming to view in such profusion that the wings of imagination must bear their possessor to those out-of-the-way regions described by Jules Verne, or remain ingloriously folded in sadness and defeat. The loneliest and loveliest retreats of nature are assailed by the professional tourist with his guide-book in one hand and opera-glass in the other, while the vast superficies of the rocks are degraded into advertising media for Dr. Bolus' Patent Purgative Pills or Jones' Highly Elastic Baby Jumper. And now they are talking of building a railway to the summit of Mt. Vesuvius. There was a time—but why weep for it? That time is gone, like Yorick, the jester, never to smile on us again. But what a time it was! when to have climbed the cone and smelled the sulphurous fumes of Vesuvius was something to make a man (much more a lady) conspicuous that had done it, and afforded almost exhaustless material for stories to the young folks around the evening fire. A flavor of romance still lingers about the flame-capped peak of Mt. Blanc as the gazer sees from the valley of Chamounix; for a railroad has not been threatened there as yet. Therefore it is not absurd to think that for a few more years the little phalanx of brave spirits who have attained or shall attain during the passage of a decade to come those heights where only the chamois and the eagle are at home, will be privileged to boast of the achievement and wear the badge of an honorable distinction. After that—nothing but memory mingled with hate to the Mephistopheles of machinery! The Alpine Club will no more startle the world by hair-raising narratives of personal adventures upon the glaciers and of the sudden disappearance down the awful cliffs or in the yawning crevasses, of guides and companions, never to be seen or heard of any more. The restless demon of what men call progress will have changed all that. We shall soon have the time-tables of the various tip-top mountain railways duly posted in the hotels at their respective termini and advertised in the journals of the day. If Smith—then staying in Naples for a week or so—happens to be wanted by his friend Scraggs for a stroll or a quiet game of seven-up about ten o'clock in the morning, the waiter or clerk will simply tell Scraggs that Smith took the nine o'clock express for the crater, promising to be back to lunch. Rather than wait, Scraggs goes up himself in the eleven o'clock way to find Smith seated on a block of lava at the apex of the mountain talking "horse" with old Blowhard from Wall street, who has the gout. And—but the prospect is horrible and we forbear. If we are to preserve any fragment of romance to bequeath to our children, this thing must be stopped where it is. The river courses and lowlands may indicate where the engineer is authorized to plan a railroad—but let us teach the confounded fellow with his tripod to stay away from the highest rocks of the world. If he does go, may the thin air collapse his lungs and the mouths of volcanos swallow him up forever.

CURRENT TOPICS.

—Smith Weed seems to have been mistaken about that smuggled item in the Supply Bill.

—Nevada has only ten candidates for Governor. What a chance to get up a row that would knock the spots off of Arkansas.

—Several duels are said to be impending in France. It begins to look like the good old days.

—Barnum must be interested in the decision that allows a man and his wife to enter any entertainment on a ticket saying "admit one."

—Count Chambord is the "Wandering Jew" of France. Nobody knows where he is, and a paper offers a reward for his capture. Better offer a reward to keep him out of the country.

—Old people will rejoice and young ones regret that the prospects are that Fourth of July will be generally celebrated in a very quiet way this year. But wait till 1876!

—Brooks turned out to be the cowardly braggart we supposed him and sneaked away from the State House like a whipped school boy.

—The Swing trial at Chicago will result in the acquittal of the accused. As an indication that a man can be allowed liberty of opinion in the Presbyterian church this is very cheering.

—The attractions of California as a summer touring ground have greatly diminished for romantic young ladies since Vasquez was captured.

—Has anybody thought of this idea in connection with the woman movement? The Poughkeepsie women announce that no more public meetings will be held until they get through house cleaning. Must reform be stopped by such petty affairs as this?

—Surely John Bull's valor is diminishing, or else he has a keen eye to business. Magee, the minister who was whipped at San Jose de Gautemala, has had his wounded honor healed by a $10,000 plaster from the Gautemalan government. If this is the way things are to work hereafter, hadn't Parliament better fix a list of prices for thrashing British representatives? If it costs $10,000 to whip a mere minister, what would it be worth to trounce a lord?

—The New York World indulges in what seems to us a splenetic attack on a Massachusetts railroad because its correspondents happened to be detained by the breaking down of a bridge by the recent flood. Such a calamity would demoralize not merely the inhabitants for many miles around, but even railroad officials and the World would show more charity and good sense by postponing its attack till some season when it was more reasonable.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

—Harry Bassett has permanently retired from the race-course.

—A Missouri paper which has something to say about Carl Schurz informs the public that "as an amateur pianist he is no slouch."

—Georgetown, Ky., has a dentist who advertises to pull teeth "without pain to the operator, and with very little to the bystanders."

—The New York Commercial says that Weston don't mind his long walk so much, but the scenery along the road did become rather monotonous.

—Rev. Dr. Falsenthal, the learned Jewish rabbi, says that a "drunkard among the Jews is a very rare and a very exceptional person."

—A colored lawyer prosecuted the colored rioters in Louisville, Ky. He told the court that he blushed for his brethren. The court couldn't detect it.

—Four state-rooms were engaged to accommodate Nilsson on the Scotia. Her voice or something, must be greatly enlarging in compass.

—"Blind Dan," a beggar who has stood on the street corners of Louisville, Ky., for eighteen years, died there the other day, leaving property estimated from $25,000 to $50,000.

—For playing upon a jewsharp in church during divine service in New Britain, Conn., Wm. Rathburn has been fined $10, notwithstanding he defended his solos by quotations from the Bible.

—The attention of female crusaders is called to the English invention of grog trains to run round dinner tables, the engine carrying hot water and the carriages loaded with cigars and whisky.

—"I tell you," said a Wisconsin man to a neighbor next day after burying his wife, "when I came to get in bed and lay thar', and not hear Lucinda jawing around for an hour and a half, it just made me feel as if I'd moved into a strange country."

—Now-a-days when a white-chokered gentleman is observed getting out of a neighborhood at the rate of five miles an hour, with a look of fierce determination in his eye, and a carpet-bag in his hand, the general impression seems to be that he is going off somewhere to start a new religious denomination.

—John Davis, of Kansas, was beating a carpet, when he suddenly paused and said, "Cuss this carpet!" and the next moment dropped dead. Wives will, hereafter, we hope, take warning and beat their own carpets.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The Boston Post is opposed to the proposition to fill the position of conductor on railroads with women. "Their trains are always behind," says the Post. Yes, and most women are so timid, and none but the brave deserve the fare, you know.

TELEGRAPH.

REGULAR DISPATCHES TO DAILY FREEMAN

FOREIGN.

FRANCE.

Bonapartists to be Excluded from the Cabinet.

PARIS, May 20.—The ministerial crisis continues. The only progress made to-day was an agreement between President MacMahon and the Right Centre that no Bonapartist should be called to the Cabinet, which includes Magne.

GREAT BRITAIN.

End of the Lockout.

LONDON, May 20.—The protracted lockout of farm laborers in Lincolnshire has been ended by a settlement which will probably be adopted in other agricultural districts of England.

Spanish News.

The Carlists report that the republicans lost 500 killed and wounded in the engagement of yesterday, which took place at Canabieja.

The New French Ministry.

LONDON, May 21—5:30 A. M.—The Daily News special dispatch from Paris says a Cabinet has been formed. Its principal members are Goulard, Decazes, Lavergne, Grivart and Cezanc, all of whom belong to the moderate section of the Right and Right Centre. The object of the new government is to conciliate both centres, in order to carry the septennial constitution through the Assembly.

METROPOLITAN NEWS.

Meeting of the State Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 20.—At a meeting of the New York State Associated Press, held at the Metropolitan Hotel this morning, the following officers were elected: President, Jas. Warren of the Buffalo Courier; Secretary and Treasurer, H. O. R. Tucker of the Troy Times; Executive Committee, Wm. Purcell of the Rochester Union, Carrol E. Smith of the Syracuse Journal, J. C. Cuyler of the Albany Express, M. P. Williams of the Hudson Register, E. D. G. Hazard of the Elmira Gazette. After the transaction of the usual routine business and the adoption of a resolution of thanks to Breslin, Purcell & Co., proprietors of the Metropolitan Hotel, for courtesies extended the association adjourned.

The State Charities.

A conference of delegates from the State Boards of Charities was held this morning at Association Hall in connection with the meeting of the Social Science Association. J. V. L. Pruyn of Albany presided. The delegates present were Chairman Nathan Bishop of this city, Wm. P. Letchworth of Buffalo, S. F. Miller of Delaware county, Dr. Charles Hoyt of Albany, Mrs. Wm. P. Leynde and Mrs. H. H. Giles of Wisconsin, Mrs. M. R. Petee, Secretary of the State Board of Connecticut, and F. B. Sanborn, General Secretary from Massachusetts. Dr. John B. Chapin of the Willard Asylum, New York, read a paper on the duty of states towards their insane poor. The paper claimed that if it is conceded that the safety of the community requires that the personal liberty of the insane be restrained, an obligation rests upon the state to direct that the restraint be properly and humanely exercised. Dr. Chapin argues that it is of the first importance that the state should clearly define the legal status of our insane dependent in view of the recent cases. There should be ample asylum accommodations, and in all asylums there should be supplemental departments in which tranquil and manageable patients could be made comfortable.

Arrival of Mennonites.

A party of Russian Mennonites, fifty-five in number, arrived in the steamer City of Richmond. They are to settle in Yankton, Dakota Territory. Large numbers of their brethren are coming here shortly.

THE CENTENNIAL.

Report of Subscriptions and Expenditures.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—At a meeting of the United States Centennial Commission this morning thirty-three members were present. A financial statement was made, showing the total subscription to be $4,405,200; the total expenses to May 1st, including plans and work on grounds, were $144,712, and the estimate of the total cost of the buildings, according to designs, $8,750,000.

The report of the Executive Committee, in relation to the refusal of Congress to pass an appropriation for the Centennial, says: "Profoundly impressed with the responsibility resting on the commission, and being conscious of having performed to the best of our ability the duty imposed on us by an act of Congress, we respectfully submit that without the governmental aid which has been requested it will be impossible to render the celebration creditable to the nation and worthy of the occasion it is intended to commemorate. The responsibility, therefore, for the success of the Centennial International Exhibition now clearly rests with Congress.

THE CRUSADERS.

They are Dismissed, but are Warned against Repeating the Act.

CINCINNATI, May 20.—Forty-three temperance women who were arrested last Saturday were tried in the Police Court to-day. The court room was crowded and a great mass of people unable to get in waited outside the building. Hon. Stanley Matthews and Judge Hogans appeared as counsel for the ladies. The defense was conducted by the latter. Testimony was heard on both sides and the case was submitted without argument. The charge was for the violation of a city ordinance by obstructing sidewalks. Judge Marchant stated that there had been a tyrannical violation of law, but in view of the lack of a bad motive on the part of the defendants, he would dismiss them, which he did with an admonition that if the act was repeated they would be liable to arrest and punishment. At the conclusion of the trial the defendants marched to the Ninth street Baptist Church, where the eagues and committees were in session.

THE MASSACHUSETTS DISASTER.

Money Much Needed.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The following dispatch was received from Northampton to the Associated Press:

The impression has gone abroad that we have funds enough. Such is not the fact. Our actual receipts are $6,891 and our necessities will require over $100,000.

L. BODMAN, Treasurer Relief Committee.

Generosity of an Express Company.

BUFFALO, May 20.—The American Express Company will receive and forward gratis all money or articles of necessity for the Massachusetts sufferers by the flood.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

Work on the New Capitol to be Resumed.

ALBANY, May 20.—The Commissioners of the New Capitol building were in session here this afternoon. It is expected that work will be resumed June 1st.

Phelps' Case Again Postponed.

The case of Chas. H. Phelps for alleged frauds on the State Treasury has been postponed until the third Monday in September.

State Treasurer Raines

has been removed to Canandaigua. His aberration of mind is said to have taken a religious turn.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

A Resolution of Censure.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Committee on Ways and Means to-day authorized Mr. Foster to report a resolution censuring the Secretary of the Treasury, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury and Solicitor Banfield for lax and careless administration of the law in the Sanborn contract cases.

Death of a Soldier.

General A. B. Dyer, of the Ordnance Department, died here to-day.

The Restoration of Certain Duties.

The Committee on Ways and Means to-day, by a vote of 8 to 2, expressed themselves as opposed to the restoration of the ten per cent. taken off the rate of duty on certain articles in the second section of the tariff act of June 6th, 1872. These articles are manufactures of cotton, wool and steel, metals and manufactures of metals, excepting percussion caps, watches, jewelry and other articles of ornament, paper and manufactures of india rubber, gutta percha or straw, oil cloths and all descriptions of glass and glass ware, leather and all manufactures of skins, bone, ivory, horn and leather, except gloves and mittens; in other words, the committee are opposed to increasing the duty on the above-named articles, leaving them at their present rate. The restoration of ten per cent. would increase the revenue about eight millions annually, but the Committee on Ways and Means seem to think no such increase of tariff necessary.

A Queer Way of Doing Business.

In the District investigation to-day Adolf Cluss, engineer and member of the Board of Public Works, testified that the Vice President, against the protest of engineers of the office, was in the habit of detailing Mr. Oertley, an assistant engineer, and giving him private instructions with reference to measurements. The measurements made by this assistant were not under his (witness') supervision, and he would not be responsible for them. He stated that he had nothing to do with the estimate on which the government appropriation of $1,240,000 was the base. It was by Oertley, and he (witness) never saw it until it appeared in print in the Governor's answer. Witness stated that although Oertley was one of his subordinates he had not seen him in his office in a fortnight.

By Mr. Allison—Where is he?

Answer—Making up a statement for this committee.

Witness stated that all important contracts made were awarded without consulting him as engineer and without his knowledge as a member of the Board. The Vice President made contracts. The minutes of the Board were made up in a committee meeting with Shepherd at one corner of the table, Willard at another and Magruder at another and their agreeing to something and calling it a meeting. I protested to Magruder once and he said, "Well, they have agreed to the proposition which you opposed. There is a majority and the majority rules." Such action was then entered as a meeting of the Board and spread on the minutes. Whenever the Vice President sat down to write a contract it was considered as a Board meeting, whether any of the Board but him were present or not.—Some work was once proposed to be done which I considered unnecessary. It was said it must be done, as assessments were made out for the work. I asked to see the assessments, and was bluffed off. There have been many contracts let and men were at work on streets before the engineer of the department was notified of the award. There never was any vote passed officially by the Board that designated to what contractor should be paid the government appropriations.

Q.—Who measured the work of the Evans Concrete Company?

A.—Mr. William Forsyth.

Q.—Who designated him?

A.—I did not.

Q.—Did you object to him?

A.—I did not know anything about the designation until the work was measured. This work amounted to about $1,000,000, and was certified without my knowledge.

Q.—Have you ever discovered a mistake made by Forsyth?

A.—Frequently. When I took charge I found an error made by him of 4,000 yards in the De Golyer and McClellan measurements. He tried to bully me, and said his figures had never been questioned for twenty-five years and should not be now. I told Gov. Shepherd and he requested me to go over the work, which I did, and corrected the mistake. Forsyth made an excessive measurement to Frank M. Smith of 2,000 yards on the M street wood pavement. I corrected that measurement also. There was a case with another Smith, on B street, between Second and Third streets, an overmeasurement of 400 square yards. I insisted that another man be designated to make the measurements. I then secured Mr. Barney, a good man.

Q.—Did Mr. Forsyth make any measurements after that?

A.—Not under my direction. He did under somebody else's and measured the government work. Witness then explained the discrepancy of a certain grading of Massachusetts avenue. He said the final award of 105,000 yards was made; he thought 50,000 yards would cover all the grading done. The price paid for flagging witness thought was too much. Contracts were frequently signed after the work was commenced. It was the rule generally to have the contractors sign contracts and then the Board signed them at its leisure in bulk. Witness testified that an average price for sewer work chargeable to the government would be $2.70 per foot, instead of $4.70, as charged. Witness computed the cost of good wood pavement layed in Washington at $2.49 per square yard. To this he would add twenty per cent. for profit. The Board paid $3.50 per square yard.

Q.—Do you know anything about the grading of Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets, near the War Department?

A.—The District has paid for grading, $31,095.40 and the government is charged for $25,172. This is not an overcharge, but is incongruous.

Q.—Well, explain that.

A.—Well, if you buy a horse for $500 and a man brings you the bill to pay for two mules at $250 each you are cheated. You pay the correct amount, but in a wrong way.

Q.—Is that the way the government accounts have been kept?

A.—It seems so.

Q.—Explain that again.

A.—Well, you see John O. Evans did the work. There were actually about 46,000 square yards. Evans was allowed about $1 per yard. Some put it at 75,000 yards at 50 cents per yard. This is the way it was done: The G street sewer cost $2,125; they have charged the government $8,195 for it. The grading on Maryland avenue between First and Fifteenth streets cost the Board $85,418.56; the United States has paid $95,020.83.

Q.—How do you account for this?

A.—I cannot account for it. I have taken the accounts and made up a statement.

Q.—In North Carolina avenue the amount charged to the United States is $31,306.67; the cost to the Board is $9,821.70. How do you account for that discrepancy?

A.—I cannot account for it. I have taken the records of the engineer's office for my statement.

Q.—On Connecticut avenue the cost is $16,933.70. The United States has paid over $21,000. How is that accounted for?

A.—I know no reason why it should be so. I have taken the records.

Q.—What do you know about filling the canal?

A.—Not a voucher has passed into the engineer's office for filling up the canal. Most of the earth came from the streets and avenues. Witness read from a journal of the engineer's office certain applications made by Albert Gleason for grading work on certain streets in the southwestern and other portions of the city. He found five days after this application was made that Assistant Engineer Oertley, without the aid of instruments, rodmen or anybody to help him, had made an estimate of all the streets, which was delivered to Mr. Gleason by order. There were vouchers for $148,230.11. Asked Oertley how he did this, and he said I must not blame him as he was following out the Vice President's order.

Q.—Who was Vice President then?

A.—Shepherd. On looking this case up he found another voucher was passed, which was concealed from him, for about $75,000. Could not see how twelve streets could be measured in five days without instruments or rodmen or assistance of any kind. Witness stated that Shepherd appointed all the Street Superintendents; that they had not been paid for several months, and they would generally sign anything as correct; that last summer 140 Superintendents were employed; and that had they been appointed and controlled by the engineer department, as they should have been, 60 good men could have done the work more satisfactorily. Witness considered Oertley a good engineer if he wanted to be, but he acted under orders. He did not think Oertley had been honest with the committee; that he had submitted labels which conceal the truth rather than state it. He thought the system of the Board in keeping accounts very complicated and it was difficult to make anything out of them.

Mr. Allison—I quite agree with you.

Witness, resuming—Up to January last, from October, 1872, to January, 1874, there have not been more than eight meetings of the Board of Public Works. Contracts were generally awarded by Gov. Shepherd with one stroke of his pen, without advising or consulting the Board. Witness does not know why expensive pavements were constructed in uninhabited portions of the city. It was done without his being a party to it. Knew that expensive pavements had been laid in places where wood would rot before being inhabited along the line. Witness testified that Dr. Gilbert, contractor, got a final measurement on work in course of progress and then, after being paid, left for parts unknown.

Cluss will be re-called to-morrow.

Mr. Mellish's Condition.

Representative Mellish continues in a critical condition. He seems to be growing weaker and generally resists food. It is thought he is liable to die at any time from nervous collapse.

The Durell Impeachment.

The names of six members of the House Judiciary Committee who voted in committee for the impeachment of Judge Durell are Butler, Poland, Wilson and White, Republicans, and Eldridge and Potter, Democrats. The four who were against impeachment are, Ward, Tremain, Frye and Cessna, Republicans, Jewett, Democrat, being absent.

THE SHYSTER GOVERNOR.

Moses Turns the Tables on the Sheriff.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 20.—The statement that Gov. Moses last night submitted to arrest turns out to be incorrect. He had concluded to yield and had sent his carriage for an officer empowered to make arrests, but at the last moment changed his mind and again refused to be arrested. This morning he obtained a warrant for the arrest of the Orangeburgh Sheriff on a charge of attempting illegally to arrest the Governor, but the Sheriff had left Columbia this morning. The Solicitor reported the Governor's resistance to arrest and inquired what steps the Court would take to enforce its authority. The Court replied that for the present it did not see its way clear to a successful fight with the state militia, and further action would be held under advisement.

ARKANSAS.

Resignation of the State Treasurer—Action of the Legislature.

LITTLE ROCK, May 20.—Hon. Henry Page, State Treasurer, to-day resigned.

Both branches of the Legislature passed a joint resolution appointing a committee to investigate the conduct of Senators Clayton and Dorsey and the Representatives in Congress in attempting to overthrow the state government.

Commissioners were appointed to supervise and control the ensuing election for delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

A bill of pardon and amnesty to those engaged in the late insurrection was introduced in the House.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.

A Man Killed by Nitro Glycerine.

SARATOGA, N. Y., May 20.—At Warrensburgh this forenoon David Mead of French Mountain picked up in the street what he supposed was a stone, but upon throwing it from him it exploded, injuring him dreadfully. It was a nitro glycerine exploder, used in mining. He cannot recover.

THE SWING TRIAL.

Vindication of the Accused.

CHICAGO, May 20.—A vote was reached to-day in the Presbyterian Council engaged in the Swing heresy trial, and it resulted in the triumphant vindication of the accused. The vote stood 15 for to 45 against conviction. The friends of Prof. Swing are jubilant.

THE WEATHER.

To-Day's Probabilities.

For the New England and Middle States cloudy and cool weather and rain will prevail, with southerly to variable winds and stationary to rising barometer in the last named district and falling to rising barometer in New England.

UNITED STATES CONGRESS.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 20.

THE CIVIL RIGHTS BILL.

Mr. PRATT of Indiana spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. THURMAN said he knew the bill was to pass, though not because of its merits. He did not believe that one-third of the Senate, if left untrammeled by outside pressure, would vote for the bill. There were 800,000 colored voters in the United States, and their demands had more power in this chamber than the Constitution of the United States itself. If the fate of this measure depended upon its own merits it would require very little ability to show that it should not pass. He argued at some length as to the constitutional power of Congress, and said this bill did not propose to deal with states, but it dealt with individuals so states could provide punishment to secure civil rights. The federal government by this bill could seize the citizen and punish him the second time. In the state of Louisiana, for instance, every offence mentioned in this bill was punishable by state law, yet it was proposed to have a second punishment by the strong arm of federal power. The effect of the bill would be to break up the common school system, and the result would be that both white and colored children would go without education.

A resolution of the House providing for an adjournment of the session of Congress on the 22d of June was read and agreed to.

Messrs. Sargent, Morrill of Maine and Davis were appointed members of a committee of conference on the part of the Senate on the naval appropriation bill.

Pending discussion on the civil rights bill the Senate proceeded to consider the action of executive business.

Adjourned at 5 o'clock P. M.

HOUSE.

The claim of E. H. Roberts yesterday on behalf of the Republican party of the credit for purifying itself was again criticised by Wood, Holman and Randall, and was defended by Roberts and Tyner.

After a long discussion the amendment offered by Mills, making the agricultural report free of postage, was adopted by a vote of 110 to 68, and then Hoar's proposition as thus amended was agreed to. Without getting through the bill the committee rose.

Mr. O'NEIL of Pennsylvania, from the Appropriation Committee, reported the pension appropriation bill. The appropriation asked for is about $30,000,000.

The House at 5:15 P. M. adjourned.

COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 20.

FLOUR—Quiet and prices without decided change. Receipts 13,000 bbls. Sales 11,000 bbls. at $5.60@5.85 for superfine State and Western; $6.15@6.65 for common to choice extra; $6.60@6.70 for common to choice extra Western; $6.15@7.45 for common to good shipping brands extra round hoop Ohio. Rye Flour quiet and unchanged. Sales 300 bbls. at $4.85@6.00 ℔ barrel.

GRAIN—Wheat 1 ct. better and in moderate demand. Receipts 130,000 bu. Sales 74,000 bu. at $1.46@1.50 for No. 2 Chicago; $1.53½@1.54½ for No. 2 Milwaukee; $1.56@1.59 for No. 1 Spring. Rye quiet. Receipts none. Sales none. Corn firm. Receipts 34,000 bu. Sales 44,000 bus. at 84@87 for new Western mixed. Barley dull and nominal. Receipts none. Sales none. Oats firm. Receipts 38,000 bu. Sales 38,000 bu. at 64@65 for mixed Western; 66@67½ for White Western.

PROVISIONS—Pork heavy. Rec'ts 100 bbls. Sales at $17.90@18.00 for new Mess. Beef steady. Cut Meats quiet; 7½ for dry salted Shoulders. Lard firm. Receipts 800 tierces. Sales at 11½ for steam; 11¼@11½ for kettle rendered. Butter 27@33 for State and Pennsylvania, new. Cheese 12@16 for common to prime. Sugar steady. Eggs 15½@16 for State and Pennsylvania.

OSWEGO MARKET.

OSWEGO, May 20.

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged and in moderate demand; part speculative; choice White Canada at $1.82, No. 1 Milwaukee Club, car lots at $1.48; round lots of the latter offered at $1.46.

STOCK and MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, May 20.

Customs receipts $232,000. Treasury disbursements $287,000. Specie shipments to-day $460,000 and $330,000 engaged so far for to-morrow's steamers. Money loaned at 2 per cent., closed at 2½. Sterling $4.87½@4.88 for 60 days, $4.90½@4.91 for sight. Gold opened at 12½, closed at 12½—the only two prices for the day. Carrying rates 1@3, closing at 2. Clearings $20,000,000. State bonds firm. Railroad bonds quiet and steady. Stocks opened strong at ⅛@½ advance over yesterday's closing prices, but fluctuated ½@1, until the last hour of business, when the market became weak and prices declined to the lowest point of the day, the fall having ranged from ¼ to 1½ per cent.; shortly before the close a firmer feeling set in and prices recovered ⅜ to ⅝ per cent. in the entire list. Dealings were on a moderate scale and the market presented no special feature. The Executive Committee of the Western Union Directors to-day informally stated that a cash dividend should be declared, payable in July, but the details and the final disposition of the matter are postponed until the arrival of President Orton, who will probably arrive from Europe on Sunday or Monday next. Gold closed at 12½. Money 2@3. Governments dull. State bonds quiet. Stocks dull.

STOCKS.

U. S. 6's '81 reg.	119¾	Un. Pacific stock	26⅛
U. S. 6's '81 cou.	121⅜	L. S. & Mich.Sou.	75⅝
U. S. 5-20's '62 reg.	115	Ill. Central	97
U. S. 5-20's '62 cou.	115¼	Clev. & Pitts.	87½
U. S. 6's '64 cou.	117	Chi. & N. West	40⅞
U. S. 6's '65 old.	117⅞	Chi. & N. W. pref.	59⅝
U. S. 6's '65 new	119⅜	Clev., Col. & Cin.	65
U. S. 6's '67	120⅜	New Jersey Cen.	105
U. S. 6's '68	120⅜	Chi. & R. I.	95¾
U. S. new fives	115	Mil. & St. Paul	32⅝
U. S. 10-40's, reg.,	114¾	Mil. & St. P. pref.	51⅜
U. S. 10-40's, cou.	114⅞	Tol. Wab. & W.	36⅛
Currency Sixes	116¾	Do. pref.	71
Del & Hud Canal	116	Ft. Wayne	93½
Canton	50	Alton & T. H.	11
Consol'd Coal Co	40½	Do. pref.	22
Cumberland	50	Chicago & Alton	102½
West Union Tel.	71¼	Do. pref.	103
Quicksilver	25	Ohio & Miss.	23⅛
Do. pref.	26	Del. L. & West	107
Pacific Mail	42⅛	Bost. Har. & Erie	1¼
Boston Water P.	11	Col. Chi. & In. Cen	19
Adams' Express	102½	Chi., B. & Q.	102
Wells, F. & Co. Ex.	75	Hannibal & St. Jo.	26⅝
Am. Mer. Un. Ex.	61¼	Cen. Pacific	91⅝
United States Ex.	67	Union Pacific Bonds	84⅝
N. Y. Cen. & H. R.	97⅞	Tenn. 6's	83
Erie	35⅝	Tenn. 6's new	83
Erie pref.	55	Va. 6's	30
Harlem	128	Va. 6's new	35
Harlem pref.	127	Mo. 6's	97
Mich. Cen.	75	Gold—112⅛.	

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CITY ORDINANCE.—AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate by license the exhibitions of circuses and other shows or entertainments," passed June 17th, 1872.

PASSED May 15th, 1874.

The Common Council of the City of Kingston, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. The first section of the ordinance of the City of Kingston entitled "An Ordinance to regulate by license the exhibitions of circuses and other shows or entertainments," passed by the Common Council of said City, June 17, 1872, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. No exhibition of any circus, caravan or menagerie, theatre, curiosities, tricks of legerdemain, or other shows or entertainments hereinafter mentioned, shall be permitted in said city, unless the person or persons intending to make such exhibition shall first obtain a permit in writing from the Mayor for each separate exhibition or performance; for which permit the following sums respectively shall be paid for each separate exhibition or performance, viz:

Circuses—each day's performance, from	$30 to $100 00
Caravans or Menageries—each day's performance	25 00
Side shows accompanying either of the above—each	5 00
Negro Minstrels—each day's performance	10 00
Panoramas—each day	5 00
Concerts	3 00
Necromancy or slight of hand performances	5 00
Exhibitions of natural or artificial curiosities	3 00
Theatres or variety shows, exhibitions, performances, or entertainments—first day	10 00
Theatres or variety shows, exhibitions, performances or entertainments—each day after the first	5 00
Gift entertainments—each day	25 00
Exhibitions of Spiritualism	25 00

All moneys received for such permits shall be paid to the City Treasurer and added to the general fund, and each and every person violating this ordinance shall incur a penalty of one hundred dollars for each and every violation thereof.

SECTION 2. The second section of said ordinance passed June 17, 1872, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. Nothing contained in the first section of this ordinance shall prevent the Common Council from making, in its discretion, contracts or arrangements with the proprietors or lessees of public halls for the payment by them of an annual sum to be agreed upon in lieu of the license or permit fees specified in said section, for any or all exhibitions or performances in such public halls respectively."

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The Daily Freeman.

Kingston, Thursday Morning, May 21.

☞ Correspondents will please direct their letters to Rondout Post Office, N. Y.

☞ **We are happy to announce to our patrons that we have secured the well-known Premium Job Printer, Mr. A. V. HAIGHT, late of Ellenville, who will hereafter have entire charge of the Job Printing Department of The Freeman establishment. Mr. Haight's skill and taste are too well known to need any recommendation from us. We are now prepared to do the finest kinds of Job Printing at reasonable rates.**

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

CITY NOTES.

—On Wednesday 72 canal boats laden with 9,225 tons of coal reached tide water through the Delaware & Hudson Canal.

—A new building is being erected on John street near the corner of Fair. It will no doubt be a fine piece of architecture 4x6.

—A hint to the Kingston cremationists—commence operations with that old toll-gate in the centre of your city.—*Po'keepsie Eagle.* Correct. Second the motion.

—Our streets are more than usually full of vagrants this season, while the maimed "demi-god in blue" is scarcer than formerly.

—Valentine Burgevine's grounds are now the resort of numerous ladies to procure the materials for decorating door-yards.

—The construction of the City Hall is advancing quite rapidly—already the walls for the first story are nearly up.

—For the impenitent mule that wearily drags the canal gondola "the melancholy days have come."

—"Am" Humphrey is going for the Kingston Bank again. He's got lots of stock under his thumb. Look out for war!

—The Company's dredging machine is at work along the island dock in the outside channel.

—Tom Collins made a visit to the club room on Wall street Tuesday night. He was after a $600 contract.

—Our city is becoming noted. We have a champion bone player uptown. He's a beginner, but he's powerful on noise.

—The latest victim of Tom Collins says it is "just such d— scoundrels that are undermining this government."

—Gage & Powley have collected a large raft of timber at this place, to be sent up to the Consumers' Ice Co.'s house, where the above mentioned firm are to construct a dock.

—On Wednesday forenoon the Thomas Cornell dropped down from her wharf to the dock at Cornell's repair shop to land a planing machine weighing about ten tons.

—Romantic young damsels can now go in search of the prophetic four-leaved clover without being obliged to be preceded by the hired man with a snow-shovel.

—Ladies whose lords haven't the requisite greenbacks to permit of their disporting themselves at a fashionable watering place this summer can purchase a Saratoga trunk in which to recreate.

—A large band of gypsies, with a number of horses and wagons, crossed the ferry from Esopus to this city on Wednesday afternoon. They will go into camp near the city and "stick" anyone who trades horses with them.

—A new shaving shop has been opened in the Flatow building on Union avenue. The new barber is fresh from Paris and lathers, shaves and cuts with all the French improvements.

—If a person would like to hear excellent music he should attend service at St. Joseph's Church in the upper part of the city. Prof. Krause plays the organ, and he brings out a power of music that fills the church and charms the listener by its purity of tone.

—There was a very pleasant wedding in the upper part of the city Tuesday night. Lewie Reiss was married to Miss Annie Shader; the ceremony was performed by Rev. John E. Gorse, and Wiltwyck Hose Company boys went down with the Kingston Band to give the happy couple a serenade. They were treated to a sumptuous supper and everyone was very much pleased.

—There's one house uptown where the folks own a piano. They don't play themselves, but there's a gal comes there visiting once in a while and she plays—plays well, too. There is but one drawback, and that is the young lady only knows one piece; but she makes the most of that, and rattles away at it from morning until night. Every one in the neighborhood, the lovers of music and those who know no more about music than a jackass, are thoroughly acquainted with that piece. It's a march, we should judge, and we think that young lady has it to perfection. A dead march, we believe they call it, and we heard a person remark he would be very, very happy, if some one would play it at that young lady's funeral.

Nobby Boys.

The officers of the Thomas Powell have donned a navy uniform, blue coats, pants and vests, brass buttons and regulation caps.

New Boiler.

The steamer Columbia, of Cornell's towing line between this city and Hudson, is now at McEntee & Dillon's foundry, where she is receiving a new boiler.

Personal.

Edward Mattison, of Safford & Carter's establishment, has gone to New York to attend a wedding.

Alfred Tanner has sold his house on St. James street to Rudolph Tappen for $5,200. Tanner is going to build another soon.

Only in Fun.

Last evening Delia Spencer aimed a revolver at her husband in fun and pulled the trigger, not thinking the weapon was loaded. It was, however, and the ball struck her husband over the left eye, tearing away the flesh and scraping the bone—that's all!—*Poughkeepsie Eagle.*

Accident.

Charlie, the little son of C. L. Edmonds, on Wednesday fell down the stairs in the rear of that gentleman's ice cream saloon and sustained some severe injuries about his head, including a deep cut across his forehead. The little fellow had a narrow escape from death, as had the force of the fall been upon his temple it would probably have killed him. A surgeon dressed his wounds and he is doing well, though presenting a very scarred appearance.

Death of Two Aged People.

The Catskill Examiner of Saturday notices the death of a Mrs. Bidwell and a colored woman named "Aunt" Launey in that county, each of whom were about one hundred years old. The latter was formerly the slave of the Hardenburgh family, and she and her husband in 1825 refused to accept their liberty when slavery was abolished in this state.—Mrs. Bidwell remembered seeing soldiers at the time of the Revolution, was in the fort at Schoharie when it was attacked by Indians, and in company with others made the trip from Schoharie to Kingston on horseback.

Sporting Notes.

The uptown trotters make the road from this city to the hotel of Peter Clare very lively these pleasant days. This road, which could be put in excellent condition with a very small expense, is in its usual state of bumps and ruts that is sufficient to break the springs of almost any ordinary wagon. Why this road is always out of repair we cannot tell, but should suppose the horsemen of this city would be willing to subscribe enough out of their own pockets to make it a fit place to exercise their animals, and make this road a credit, instead of a disgrace to the place. However, the sporting men make the best use possible of the level places and some good speed is shown, notwithstanding the risk they run. The finest rig perhaps is that of Will Hermance, who drives a handsome bay mare to a trotting wagon, and she goes at a pace that would almost defy pursuit. Benson Wood handles a black gelding and bay mare, and the team is fast enough to throw sand in the eyes of any ordinary trotter. Next comes Luther Wood, who has a bay gelding that has an all-day gait, and will take its owner from this city to the Red House at a rate of speed that will make one wish he had a little stouter wagon, or that there were fewer jolts in the road.—Luther brought this horse from New York, and when he gets his ribs covered will be a stylish as well as a speedy animal. Major King goes down at a .30 clip, and of course cuts down all the smaller fry. This little horse will no doubt make a record this summer a few seconds lower than his Canada feat, and then he need not be afraid to tackle some of the most famous of thoroughbreds.

Temperance in Olive.

The no-license system works well in the town of Olive and the town has never been more orderly than for the past few weeks. Men who have been in the habit of spending their time and money in the places where liquor was sold now work industriously and can be found home at night with their families. In Shokan, all classes admit that unusual quiet and good order prevails. The disgusting sights that so often greeted the eyes of the citizens no longer are seen, and many a prayer is heard, "God bless the Board of Excise of the town of Olive."

A few days ago a prominent business man of Sampsonville, who has never allied himself to the temperance cause, was heard to say that he had lived in that place sixty years, and that during thirty years of that time beer and rum had been sold in the neighborhood; that for the past two weeks a great change could be seen. Men were more industrious, saved their money, paid their debts better, and spent their spare time at home instead of at the hotels and shops. The temperance people do not want to keep any traveler from stopping at the hotels, but if the hotel keepers will not provide for him at Shokan, G. M. Everett will see that he goes not away either hungry or without lodging, while at Olive Bridge, D. W. Hover will extend the hand of hospitality and entertain the guests.

Tows.

The following were yesterday's tows:

Steamers G. A. Hoyt and Oswego—Ice barge Samson, boats S. H. Snyder, Tanner, Day, Resolute, 19 D. & H. C. Co.'s boats, barge Ally Wolfer to Sing Sing, boat Sandy to New York.

Propeller Farrington—Boats Kate Kiernan, Belle, 1,807 to Newburgh, Alida, 1,699 to New Hamburgh, 1687, 343 to Poughkeepsie.

Steamer Herald—Boats Monocacy, Union, Plymouth, G. H. Preston, S. M. Clement, Transport, 1,964, (Pa. Coal Co.), 1,985, (D. & H. C. Co.) to Troy, ice barge Wallabout to Rodger's Island, boat Comet to New Baltimore.

Up tows from New York:

Steamers Marshall and A. B. Valentine—Boats Curbstone, Bluestone, C. S. Ingersoll, D. H. Rice, Merchant, Jas. A. Sweet, Onward, Gertrude, barges Relief, Mohegan, D. & H. C. Co.'s boats.

Shell.

The good people "up the dock" have got on a first-class scare over four or five old shell which Herold, the old junk dealer has on his premises. The neighbors are fearful the shells are charged with villainous gunpowder and during some serene night the diabolical things will explode and create great havoc. Two of these shell were round, the others conical; the round ones for some—to us—unknown reason created the most awe and fear, but some one was brave enough to capture those round engines of war and, it is supposed, cast them into the creek for safety. The conical shell were complained of to His Honor the Mayor, who instructed the Superintendent of Streets to inspect them and if found dangerous to remove them to Kingston Point and cast them into the river.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Ulster County Homœopathic Medical Society, held at Kingston May 19th, 1874, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. Levi Shafer, President; Dr. G. D. Crispell, Vice President; Dr. F. W. Ingalls, Secretary and Treasurer; Censors, Drs. A. P. Chalker, W. D. L. Montanye and F. W. Ingalls. Delegate to Homœopathic State Medical Society, Dr. A. P. Chalker. Delegate to American Institute of Homeopathy, Dr. W. D. L. Montanye.

The Death of Lutes.

There is much feeling uptown over the Lutes case, the general sentiment being that if ever there was a case of rum murder this was one, for Sandy Lutes killed himself by an over-indulgence in rum as really as if he had cut his throat, shot or hung himself. It would seem to us that this is a case where the seller of the liquor could be punished, but at any rate it furnishes a lesson that ought to make a deep and lasting impression.

COUNTY.

—The Ellenville Tanning Co. haul 11,000 hides daily at their tanneries in different parts of the country.

—The First National Bank of Ellenville has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent.

—The Marbletown and Old Hurley hens are on a strike, and there will necessarily be a rise in the egg market.

—The people at New Paltz Landing are moving for a post office in their place. They object to traveling up to Highland for mail matter.

—Two men distinguished themselves, *a la* Sam Patch, by standing upright on the transverse section of the cross that surmounts the new Episcopal Church. The elevation is 170 feet from the ground, and if—"what a fall there would have been, my countrymen."—*Ellenville Journal.*

—The Ulster Blast Furnace has "blown out" and suspended—as we are informed—for about two months. Meantime there are to be additions and improvements made to the premises looking toward a resumption of business with increased facilities. The affairs of the concern are being settled up.—There are 166 furnaces "out of blast" in other sections of the country—cause, inactivity of the iron trade, and the low price of iron. —*Ellenville Journal.*

—The last sensation in Ellenville is an attempt by a well-known physician and politician of that place to pummel a lawyer for an improper and personal use of the English language. Friends interfered, so the result of the fight was a draw. It is rumored that a duel will be fought, the lawyer to use his pistol, and the man of physic his pills. As the lawyer is a dead shot and the doctor equally effectual in his line of warfare, the cemetery association are quite sure of the sale of a couple of lots.

VICINITY.

—Troy is troubled with door-mat thieves.

—Port Jervis is sensibly doing a good deal of improving in the flagging line.

—A brass band composed of ladies is being organized at Deposit.

—Fishing in the Wallkill is now excellent.

—The Midland laborers have been paid off for March.

—Montgomery is going to flag its walks at thirteen cents per foot.

—Petty thievery is brisk down at Poughkeepsie. Watch that corner stone, boys.

—Pond Eddy scoundrels stone passing railway trains.

—Mr. Olmstead of Port Jervis still stays disappeared.

—The Newburgh Journal is spurring up its merchants on advertising.

—Newburgh's young savages play base-ball on Sunday.

—The Stamford Mirror don't like the Grangers and goeth for them roughly.

—The roughs of Newburgh have their little mills at Washington's Headquarters.

—Old John Henry Gepsium is what the Albany Journal calls the Cardiff Giant. But isn't it libellous?

—The Goshen Republican is sixty-six years old and smart enough to be a good deal younger.

—The principal excitement in Newburgh now is sword presentations to officers of the "Mulligan Guards."

—Port Jervis has a 306-year-old Bible. A Bible lasts a good while in Port Jervis, because it is used very little.

—Gracious, though! how the Hudson Register and Gazette are letting into each other. Somebody go up and pour water on them.

—Poughkeepsie's liquor saloons were closed on Sunday, and in consequence the city was remarkably quiet.

—Assemblyman Beebe is spoken of as the probable Democratic candidate for Congress next fall.

—Newburgh claims to have a smaller debt and pays less taxation than any other town along the river. And is duller.

—The rumsellers of Delhi hung Rev. Mr. Marcombar, a prominent temperance man, in effigy. But they can't get any license.

—The Delhi Republican calls for "a grand uprising of the people" to finish working one of its streets.

—Delhi has a firm composed of a doctor and grave stone maker. Which looks bad for Delhi's health.

—A fellow in Troy got a sound thrashing for playing the Tom Collins joke on another chap. And he deserved it.

—Steamboat robbers have commenced operations on the river night lines. One of them hauled $2,000 worth of diamonds on the Dean Richmond the other night.

—Newburgh is still agitated about its public pier, while it pronounces the Fishkill dock a man-trap. Somebody please loan Newburgh a dock.

—A Russian Countess rushed through Po'keepsie the other day. She didn't know anything about the bridge corner stone or she would have stopped longer.

—The funeral of James Collingwood at Po'keepsie on Tuesday was largely attended, the Mayor and Common Council being among the attendants.

—The Poughkeepsie Eagle don't want a noisy Fourth of July celebration this year. It wants all the noise and enthusiasm saved for 1876.

—George and Fenton, the Newburgh defaulting lawyers, are ordered to appear at the next General Term and show cause why they shall not be thrown out of the bar.

—The Middletown Press "shudders to think what might be the consequences should our Monhagen reservoir give way." One immediate effect of such a possibility should be the improvement of Middletown's morals.

—Hon. Beebe is not only a receiver of presents, but he gives them away also. He presented the foreman of his newspaper office, who rescued the books and other property from the recent fire, with $100 and a suit of new clothes.

—Necessity is the mother of invention. Albany roughs spoiled women's dresses by squirting tobacco juice over them, and now a preparation has been invented up there for removing the stains. This is more humane than punishing the culprits.

—The Albany Steuben Cadets, who went down to Catskill to keep the Catskillians from lynching Waltz, were so pleased with the treatment they received that they are going down for a pic-nic on the 22d and 23d of June.

—Two of the victims of the appalling catastrophe at Haydenville belonged in Greenbush. They were the wife and child of Baggageman Chandler, of Greenbush, and were at Haydenville on a visit at the time of the accident. Their bodies arrived at Greenbush on Sunday and were buried Monday afternoon.

—The Wallkill is to have a steamboat. The Montgomery Republican says: Mr. Thomas Hamer, our enterprising jeweler, proposes to launch upon the Wallkill at this place, during next summer, a small steamer to accommodate pleasure parties, pic-nics, and all that may desire a sail on the pelucid waters of that stream. He has already purchased an oscillating, six-horse-power engine, which is to be used for the propelling power.

Serious Accident.

Last Monday afternoon (11th) as Mr. Oscar Bloomer was coming from Hampton, where he had been after a load of lumber for the Hon. Jeremiah Clark, he met with an accident which at one time was thought would prove fatal. He was coming down a hill this side of Mr. Peck's, when a stick fell against the horse, which caused him to run away. Mr. Bloomer, in attempting to jump from the wagon, caught a leg in the reins, which threw him under the wheels and broke his leg. Dr. Miller was called and set the broken limb, and Mr. B. was feeling quite comfortable. On Tuesday he grew worse, and Dr. Barclay of Newburgh was called. He said that he was injured internally. He is some better to-day. *Correspondence Newburgh Journal.*

Very Low Water.

There is a dry sort of a skipper on board one of the Rondout steamboats. A few evenings since the tide was very low and as the boat came up to her dock the skipper saw a man with two pails, in the act of drawing water, and accosted him with, "See here, mister, what the deuce are you doing? The tide is so low now that we can hardly get up to our berth, and yet, here *you* are, making it worse! We won't have any more of this—you must get water somewhere else." The drawer of water, fully convinced by such logic, emptied back his pails into the creek, and went off to get water where the taking of it would not interfere with navigation.

The Saugerties Road.

The scenery along the road leading from this city to Saugerties is very pleasant to look at now-a-days, for the meadows are green, the trees bright with their new garments, while the Catskill range, reaching from High Point almost to the horizon on the north, is a background to the picture that would throw an artist in raptures. There can hardly be found a finer drive than to go down this road until near the Red House, then turn to the left towards Legg's mill and so around the block to the main road, and from thence home. The owners of horses, and men of leisure, if they appreciate delicious spring weather, certainly are blessed mortals.

Ellenville Scared.

The terrible disaster at Millbrook, in Massachusetts, has created a great scare in Ellenville, for at the head of the gorge above the village is a lake or pond over three miles in length, with an average depth of twenty or thirty feet, held by a dam built across the ravine. A break in this wall (and it has shown signs of weakness for a number of years) would carry destruction through the village, causing a calamity by the side of which the eastern horror would seem trifling. No wonder the Ellenville people shiver when they think of it.

OUR FREE PARLIAMENT.

OPERA HOUSE.

Another Explosion from our Den of Cussedness—Mr. Opera House Flings out Another Innuendo.

KINGSTON, May 19, 1874.

MR. EDITOR:—Your Free Parliament is getting to be an interesting feature of your Daily. "Community" seems to have rankled the bosom of the Manager of the Rondout Opera House, and that individual avails himself of the opportunity to publish another card in answer to certain *dastardly* insinuations. Now Community doesn't insinuate, but openly charges his entertainments as having an immoral effect upon those who frequent them. The manager, instead of answering the charges or interrogations, takes the Yankee method by asking more; this evasion may appear wise to him, but to the public it is ridiculous.

He persists that his first card was a general invitation to any person or persons to call at the Opera House for the purpose of investigating the falsity of such charges. Mr. Manager, you have extended the right to all persons, would you permit the wives of some of our *gentry* to the *auditorium* of your entertainments? Why not; fumigating weeds, or the apostles of Gambrinus or Bacchus should be no excuse? You evade the answer as to the rules in regard to the ladies responding to the call from the gents in private boxes. What is the reputation of the house kept by the ladies who occupied a box on Thursday and Friday evening last, and later in the evening remained in your establishment 'till two gents attending at your moral show escorted them home?

The manager attempts to quote from the Scriptures, and his unfamiliarity with such teachings present him as a proper subject to superintend his "varieties." "Hide his light under a half bushel;" we prefer, Louie, to hide under a small measure, rather than wrap the curtain of a private box around us.

"Do we know that a stranger conducted the Opera House last year?" Yes; he procured a license from our local authorities, and paid for the time of his performing, but at the opening of the present season he was so sensible as to foresee the opinion of the general community, and at the first proffer for its purchase "let 'er rip." Why, Louie! you're *gulled*. The retiring proprietor was more exercised about disposing of the PEST-HOUSE than he was about his team of bays, and from the original price asked for them he deducted three hundred dollars. After you were duped into the Op-roar House had you offered to give him back the concern five hundred dollars less than you paid for it, he would have laughed at you with derision for your foolhardiness. You have our most heartfelt commiseration in your present affliction. We are not troubled with "presumption," nor asserted that we were the Jim Fisk of our virgin city. You may be the Fisk of the "Mulligan Guards" at your Pandemonium, but it will be long ere you possess the military *esprit* of the late Colonel of the Ninth Infantry—or be a railroad magnate such as he in his day, though you may be sustained by some of our railroad men. Bear in mind some important props are absent.

You say it is false that you have set the City Fathers at defiance. How did you treat His Honor the Mayor, the Chief Magistrate of the city, when he called upon you to pay the city license? Did you pay? And when his back was turned, in conversation with others, didn't you use language to the effect that the city officials could perform an act too vulgar to be named here? To His Honor and the proper officials of our city, we can only say with Pope—

"Let fierce Achilles the gods propitiate, and pest assuage."

COMMUNITY.

"Reserved Seats."

KINGSTON, May 20.

EDITOR FREEMAN—SIR:—To-day's Freeman stated that reserved seat tickets may be procured for next Monday evening's minstrel performance.

In your next issue will you please tell us what *reserving* virtue there is in a ticket which permits you to sit anywhere between the stage and two-thirds the distance to the rear end of the hall; which obliges you to be on hand as soon as the doors are opened, and in the inevitable pell-mell scramble to get in at all, take nine chances in ten of having your entire anatomy thoroughly battered, bruised and disjointed—saying nothing of that new tile being smashed down over your eyes, and Matilda Jones' elegant Polly nay completely wrecked?

If there is a bigger fraud and swindle than this method of selling "reserved" seats, deliver us from it. PAT MALOY.

[We think our correspondent answers his own query as forcibly as we could do it. However, it is our minstrel and all other exhibitions that advertise reserved seats who should in some way provide some real acommodation in that line. The only difference between a "reserved seat" and an ordinary one seems to be the price, as these exhibitions are generally conducted.

Large VARIETY of CARPETS in new and novel ideas. Fine stock of WINDOW DRAPERIES and SHADES and SHADE FIXTURES, OIL CLOTH, Plain and Fancy Mattings, and beautiful VELVET RUGS. Choice Worsted Dress Fabrics for the Summer Trade; Black Grenadines, new and staple qualities, Black Silks of the very best makes. New variety of Grisaille Summer Silks, Trimming Silks. Elegant line of Parasols, Kid Gloves in well-known and popular makes. J. O. & G. B. MERRITT, No. 5 Wall St.

Get your PIPES at EDMONSTON'S.

Ladies,

Go for your HATS to Mrs. H. BLOCK'S, where you will find a large assortment of TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS (very cheap). Alson a large assortment of Dry and Fancy Goods at the lowest prices. STAMPING DONE TO ORDER.

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Persons desiring Fine Wall Paper can be suited at CHARLES KERR'S, Saving Bank Building, Wall street.

Fruit.

At the HUGUENOT SALOON you always find the FINEST FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS of all kinds that can be found in the markets

Get your CIGARS at EDMONSTON'S.

Going for

Croquet Setts, Clothes Wringers, Polishing Irons and thirty-three reasons why everybody should have "Weed's" Carpet Sweeper at A. DODGE'S.

Here We are Again

At B. MCBRIDE'S ready to supply the traveling and local public with pure Ice Cream and Soda Water. Also Belfast Ginger Ale, Dacota Root Beer, and all kinds of Confections at wholesale and retail. B. MCBRIDE, Union avenue.

Get your SNUFF at EDMONSTON'S.

Ladies' and Children's Suits.

Just received a large assortment of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SUITS at very low prices. Also a large assortment of WRAPPERS and LADIES' UNDERGARMENTS at the very lowest prices at Mrs. H. BLOCK'S, Union avenue, three doors above Union street, Rondout, N. Y.

New lot of Ribbons assorted widths and shades for 20cts. a yard at CROSBY, LAWRENCE & Co.'s.

Get your TOBACCO at EDMONSTON'S.

Sheet Music! Sheet Music!!

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Our Organs with new improvements and at lowest prices are sold in Kingston only by our exclusive agent Mr. Nathan Curtis.

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D. C. OVERBAUGH.

KINGSTON COAL DEPOT, March 30, 1874.

Chivalric! Chivalric!

The new out-of-door game and Croquet at Chas. Kerr's, Savings Bank Building, Wall street.

Keep Your Eye on the Gun.

They do that at the HUGUENOT SALOON, Fair street near the post office, when they make ICE CREAM. Call and try it.

That Iron is Valuable as a Medicine has long been known, but it is only since its preparation in the particular form of Peruvian Syrup that its full power over disease has been brought to light. Its effect in cases of dyspepsia and debility is most salutary.

Headache.

How many ladies, young and old, are abject slaves to Headache, Neuralgia, etc., making them unfit to enjoy society, rendering life a burden, and robbing them of beauty, youth and amiability. Briggs' Allevantor is a pleasant and certain cure. Sold by Calvin Markle, Accord.

Every One is Using

Florentine Tooth Powder. This is the cream of all preparations for the teeth. For refreshing the mouth, arresting decay and imparting a delightful fragrance, it has no equal. Masten's Florentine Tooth Powder is sold at Masten's drug store and by all druggists.

Opportunity.

During the week, all in need of Lace Sacques, Scarfs, Grenadines and Summer Dress Goods, will have an opportunity of selecting from a full stock at very low prices at DECKER, RADCLIFF & WOOD'S, Opposite Court House.

Confections.

A good stock of CONFECTIONS of the best quality at the HUGUENOT SALOON—try our TEAS, COFFEES, SPICES, CANNED FRUITS, PICKLES, FISH, OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, OREGON SALMON, ASPARAGUS, FRENCH CHOW CHOW, SARDINES, JELLIES, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, TOBACCO AND CIGARS and a good LUNCH OR DINNER.

Corns.

Miracles are so common that we are no more surprised at the miraculous, but we are delighted to have our corns disappear and bunions cease to throb with pain, ingrowing nails no longer penetrate the flesh. All these benefits are secured by the use of Briggs' Miraculous Corn and Bunion Remedies. Sold by P. Gray, High Falls.

The best Dress Goods at 15cts. a yard in the city at CROSBY, LAWRENCE & CO.'S.

At O. Hermance's, Music Hall

Is where I buy the best ten-cent cigar in the city. Stop in when you go to the Post-office and try one.

Dr. J. Briggs' Throat and Lung Healer is composed of Canada Balsam, Extract of Tamarac, and other Balsam, Gums, Roots, Plants, &c., which are combined in the most scientific manner. It is pleasant and more agreeable to take than any other in use. Old people like it, and babies cry for it. Sold by Van Deusen Bros., Rondout and Kingston.

Piles.

The unceasing torture from Internal, Bleeding, External and Itching Piles is fast wearing out thousands who are afflicted, their hope and courage having long since given place to despair. Let those who see this cheer up, for a mild and sure cure may be had by using Briggs' Pile Remedies. Sold by Druggists. Sold by Ike Hasbrouck, High Falls.

Ladies?

Remember, we open to-day a large assortment of Lace Sacques and Scarfs in beautiful patterns. DECKER, RADCLIFF & WOOD, Nearly Opposite Court House.

Piles.

If it were possible to portray the torture endured by millions who are troubled with internal, bleeding, external and itching piles, the picture would not be a pleasant one. The agonies of the cursed cannot be worse, and from these sufferings there seems no escape. But science has demonstrated there is a remedy, safe and reliable. Dr. J. Briggs' Pile Remedies are the climax of medical science. Sold by J. G. Kemble, Stone Ridge.

AS CURATIVE AGENTS, the Balsamic virtues of the Wild Evergreen in the cure of the numerous diseases of the Throat, Lungs, Chest, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, which always, in our ever-varying climate, prevail in a greater or less degree, are well-known; but the power of relieving, healing and curing these diseases is enhanced when, by scientific principles, it is combined with other ingredients of equal value as healing agents. Sold by Van Wagonen & Davis, Stone Ridge.

LARYNGITIS, OR CLERGYMAN'S SORE THROAT, is an inflamation of the Throat and Larynx, caused by over-exertion in speaking or singing, very often becoming chronic, attended with hoarseness and great difficulty in swallowing, and intense suffering in speaking. It often becomes very serious in cases of long standing, and death has frequently resulted from this disease. Burning, cauterizing and other severe methods of treatment are dangerous. BRIGGS' THROAT AND LUNG HEALER is a soothing an reliable remedy. Sold by R. Deyo, Rondout.

"Good morning, Susan; how do you dew?" "Very well, I thank you, but ma is almost dead with her bunions." "Well, I declare; I never heard she had such things, but they do say Briggs' Corn and Bunion Remedies are a sartin cure. All the drug stores have got some and say they sell awful fast." Sold by Dr. Lounsbery, Stone Ridge.

Excursion Tickets at One-Quarter Rates

Can be obtained at O. Hermance's in Music Hall. These tickets will give any person the privilege to walk, ride or drive on any road or street in this city or in the country to his saloon, so they may partake of O. Hermance's *Ice Cream* made from *Pure Cream*, and *Soda Water* from Matthews' Celebrated Fountain. There is no better Cream or Soda Water in the state. Eat, drink and be merry.

PILES may be caused by anything that will irritate the lower bowels, producing a determination of blood to the rectum, as drastic cathartics, from the extensive use of which, in past years, the disease has become very common, habitual constipation, straining at stool, diseases of the liver, much riding on horseback, tight stays, sedentary habits, high living, heating, irritating food, etc. USE BRIGG'S PILE REMEDIES. Sold by S. E. D. Hoornbeck, Wawarsing.

Are You Ready?

Decker, Radcliff & Wood will open to-day at their new store, nearly opposite the Court House, the best assortment of Lace Sacques and Scarfs ever offered in Kingston.

MARRIED.

ELTINGE—LEFEVRE—At the residence of the bride's parents in New Paltz, on Tuesday, May 19th, by Rev. Dr. Peltz, Captain Peter Eltinge and Miss Maggie LeFevre, only daughter of Moses P. LeFevre, Esq., all of New Paltz.

WANTED.—A WIDOW WOMAN to do the cooking for the men working in my brickyard near Port Ewen—one who has had experience as cook at a brickyard preferred. None need apply without having a recommendation from their last employer.
Sleightburg, May 20th, 1874. MORGAN EVERSON.

FOR SALE.—DESIRABLE building lots on Clifton avenue, at reasonable rates, and terms to suit purchaser. This location bids fair to be the centre of this thriving city, and in the immediate vicinity of the public buildings; convenient to both the upper and lower part of the city. Other lots in the vicinity also for sale. Apply to WM. M. HAYES, Wall street.

$200 REWARD WILL BE paid for the recovery of the goods stolen from the store of James Kerley on April 13th, and no questions asked. JAMES KERLEY.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One 12x24 STEAM ENGINE, NEW. Also TWO BOILERS, second hand, nearly as good as new, 14 feet long, 3 feet diameter, two 12 inch flues in each. HERMANCE, NEWTON & CO. Upper Kingston.

THE OFFICE OF UNITED States Collector of Internal Revenue for the Thirteenth District has been removed to my shop on Union avenue. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. J. P. CURTIS, Collector.

LOST.—A POCKET BOOK CONtaining about $18 was lost on Columbus avenue, on Monday morning, May 11th. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at the Millinery store of MISS MARY M. KNIGHT, corner Hasbrouck avenue and Garden street, Rondout.

FOR SALE.—THE RESIDENCE of the late Edwin W. Budington, on Manor avenue, one mile from the Court House. Inquire on the premises.

NOTICE.—THIS IS TO GIVE notice that my wife has left my bed and board, and I forbid all persons to harbor or trust her on my account, as I will not pay any bills of her contracting. JOHN FASSHOUER.

TO LET.—THE FIRST FLOOR and cellar of a house in Garden street, Rondout. Inquire of MRS. A. M. SOURS.

MILLINERY.—Misses Schaffer & Masten have opened the rooms in the Hirsch Building, Garden street, formerly occupied by Miss Deudney, and having stocked them with a large assortment of everything in the millinery line fashionable for the season, they are competent to make them up in the most tasteful and fashionable forms. They will be pleased to have ladies call and examine their goods and prices.
LOUISA SCHAFFER,
CARRIE MASTEN.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS gardener or hostler. Am a married man and will attend strictly to business. Best of references furnished. ANTON LIESIETSKI, Brennier House, Union avenue, uptown.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE or TO LET.—At Rhinecliff, N. Y., a corner, suitable for a hotel or store. Lot 80 and 100 feet. Also a good size Barn. This is a good chance for an enterprising man. Rent low. Apply to P. MC CORMICK, Soap Manufacturer, Division street, Rondout.

BOARDERS, CAN FIND PLEASant rooms, and board, at the residence of the undersigned on North Front street. WM. D. HILL, Kingston, N. Y.

WESTERN CANAL BOAT FOR SALE. INQUIRE OF E. O'REILLY, Rondout.

FOR SALE.—THE BRICK STORE and Dwelling House opposite Mr. Disbrow's store, Union avenue, recently occupied by W. Marsh as a drug store and dwelling. For price and terms apply to AUG. SCHOONMAKER, Jr., or to the subscriber, G. L. BUDINGTON, Administrator.

ANNUAL MEETING.
KINGSTON WATER WORKS COMPANY,
RONDOUT, May 16th, 1874.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of Thomas Cornell, on Monday, June 1st, proximo, at 10 o'clock A. M. R. G. TOWNSEND, Treasurer.

MASON & HAMLIN CABINET ORGANS.—Winners of highest Medals at Paris, 1867; Vienna, 1873; and in America always. New Styles, with improvements. Patented in October, 1873, and January, 1874. Prices reduced. Organs for rent, with privilege of purchase, or sold for payments by installments. Catalogues and Price Lists free. Address, NATHAN CURTIS, Music Hall, Kingston, N. Y.

OFFICES TO LET.—A FINE Suite of Rooms to let on second floor. Also rooms on third floor, suitable for Offices, in the Madden Building, corner Mill and Division streets. Apply to M. J. MADDEN.

BLACKSMITH'S COAL.—I AM prepared now to furnish Blacksmith's Coal in any quantities to parties who may require it; will keep a stock constantly on hand at the LOWEST CASH PRICES. HARRISON WHITE, West Shokan, Ulster Co. N. Y.

FOR SALE.—THE HOUSE AND grounds of Isaac A. Forsyth on Pierpont street. The lot is 136x126 feet. The house is new and contains nine rooms, with all the necessary out buildings. The house is a frame building filled in with brick. Brick cellar under house, with faucet inside intended for wash-house. Sink and pump in kitchen with pipe under ground to receive the waste water. The grounds are terraced and planted wit fruit trees. Inquire of the owner on the premises, or of HIRAM ROOSA, Mansion House Building.

NOTICE EXTRAORDINARY.

WASHINGTON HALL,

Monday Ev'g, May 25th.

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FIRST APPEARANCE IN THIS CITY.

The Famous Band of the World.

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JOHN McVEY'S GARDEN

Near the new city Alms House on Flatbush avenue is where you should go if you want to buy **Flowers & Bedding Plants** of all varieties, as well as

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in large quantities. You can buy the very best on most reasonable terms. Bouquets and Flower designs to order. Plants packed and sent to any part of the country and delivered at the boat or express office free of charge. Post office address, Box 115, Rondout P. O., N. Y.

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Attorney at Law & Notary Public.

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PAINT, PAINT, PAINT, PAINT!

Now is the time to Paint Your Houses. Lowest Prices in the city. Every kind, Every Color. Cheaper now than ever, and

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ICE CREAM AND CREAM SODA WATER

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The attractive features of this saloon are:

1st—It is the Largest and Finest in the City.
2d—Polite Colored Waiters always in attendance.
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With the Latest Improved Machinery and with fifteen years' experience in the business I am confident I can suit the most fastidious taste. I make any kind of Cream to order.

Private Families, Parties and Excursions Supplied

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FRUIT IN THEIR SEASON.

A Large Assortment of Fresh and Pure

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FIRST-CLASS HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

For the traveling public. No pains will be spared to make everything comfortable and pleasant for guests. PETER WEAVER, Proprietor.

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AMERICAN AND FOREIGN

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Solid Silver & Silverplate Ware,

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WASHINGTON HALL, RONDOUT.

—ON—

SATURDAY EV'G, MAY 23d.

Entire Change of Programme.

Washburn's Last Sensation.

The largest Hall Show ever organized in this country, embracing the finest classical Gymnastic Performances, the greatest Musical organization, the best troupe of Character Artists, composed of

40 STAR PERFORMERS. 40

A Splendid Brass Band and Superb Orchestra, and the great troupe of Six genuine

WARM SPRING INDIANS.

Three Celebrated Chiefs and three Celebrated Braves just arrived from the Lava Bed country, and are the first real, genuine Indians ever brought East from this great friendly nation. These six Indians are the identical party rendered famous by their capture of Captain Jack and his treacherous band of Modocs, and were brought out by Mr. E. S. Washburn, at the enormous expense of over $5,000, and will be exhibited FREE OF EXPENSE by Mr. Washburn, in consideration of the marked favors tendered him during the many years of his managerial life. Notwithstanding the great additional expense attending this grand *chef d'oeuvre* of Manager Washburn, the old popular prices will still prevail. Admission 50 cents. Children under 12 years 35 cents.

☞ Fun commences at 8. Carriages may be ordered at 10:45.

J. H. CAMPBELL, Business Manager.

Horse cars will be at the corner of Abeel street at the close of the entertainment for the accommodation of upper Kingston people.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES,

—THE—

STRONGEST, LARGEST & BEST FINISHED ARTICLE, with new

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Ever offered before in this city, at very low prices, at the

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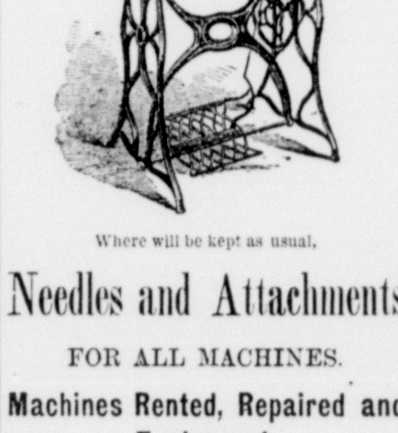
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Office and residence at the Mansion House; rooms No. 12 and 14; entrance on Division street.
Office hours from 8 to 9 A. M., 11 A. M. to 1 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES.

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Where will be kept as usual,

Needles and Attachments

FOR ALL MACHINES.

Machines Rented, Repaired and Exchanged.

Tucking, Stamping and Stitching to order. H. W. LAWRENCE.

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GRAND CENTER FOR

CONFECTIONERY,
ICE CREAM,
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CIGARS,
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NUTS,
PASTRY,
TOYS, STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS, BIRD CAGES, and a complete stock in this line.

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Enlarged facilities for **CANDY MAKING** enables me to furnish a great assortment and large stock of the

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ICE COLD SODA WATER

Always on draught, from a Matthews' First-Class Fountain. I am prepared to furnish parties with

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on Chester street. Centrally located near the City Hall and but a few minutes walk from both the W. V. and N. Y. K., & S. R. R. depots. Being on the Railroad it is well adapted to any small manfactory. Apply to W. L. HALE, Union avenue.

DR. A. P. CHALKER,

Homœopathic Physician.

OFFICE—Front room over the store formerly occupied by John H. Deyo, Garden street.

OFFICE HOURS—9 to 11 A. M., 2 to 3 P. M., 7 to 8 evening.

N. B. Dr. Chalker can be found at the residence of E. B. Newkirk, when not at his office or otherwise professionally engaged.

The Daily Freeman.

Kingston, Thursday Morning, May 21.

☞ Correspondents will please direct their letters to Rondout Post Office, N. Y.

☞ **We are happy to announce to our patrons that we have secured the well-known Premium Job Printer, Mr. A. V. HAIGHT, late of Ellenville, who will hereafter have entire charge of the Job Printing Department of The Freeman establishment. Mr. Haight's skill and taste are too well known to need any recommendation from us. We are now prepared to do the finest kinds of Job Printing at reasonable rates.**

FOR SALE.

A Double Super Royal Taylor Cylinder Press, 31x46, very superior for newspaper work. Sold only to make room for a more perfect press for jobbing purposes. Will be sold at a bargain.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

CITY NOTES.

—On Wednesday 72 canal boats laden with 9,225 tons of coal reached tide water through the Delaware & Hudson Canal.

—A new building is being erected on John street near the corner of Fair. It will no doubt be a fine piece of architecture 4x6.

—A hint to the Kingston cremationists—commence operations with that old toll-gate in the centre of your city.—*Po'keepsie Eagle.* Correct. Second the motion.

—Our streets are more than usually full of vagrants this season, while the maimed "demi-god in blue" is scarcer than formerly.

—Valentine Burgevine's grounds are now the resort of numerous ladies to procure the materials for decorating door-yards.

—The construction of the City Hall is advancing quite rapidly—already the walls for the first story are nearly up.

—For the impenitent mule that wearily drags the canal gondola "the melancholy days have come."

—"Am" Humphrey is going for the Kingston Bank again. He's got lots of stock under his thumb. Look out for war!

—The Company's dredging machine is at work along the island dock in the outside channel.

—Tom Collins made a visit to the club room on Wall street Tuesday night. He was after a $600 contract.

—Our city is becoming noted. We have a champion bone player uptown. He's a beginner, but he's powerful on noise.

—The latest victim of Tom Collins says it is "just such d— scoundrels that are undermining this government."

—Gage & Powley have collected a large raft of timber at this place, to be sent up to the Consumers' Ice Co.'s house, where the above mentioned firm are to construct a dock.

—On Wednesday forenoon the Thomas Cornell dropped down from her wharf to the dock at Cornell's repair shop to land a planing machine weighing about ten tons.

—Romantic young damsels can now go in search of the prophetic four-leaved clover without being obliged to be preceded by the hired man with a snow-shovel.

—Ladies whose lords haven't the requisite greenbacks to permit of their disporting themselves at a fashionable watering place this summer can purchase a Saratoga trunk in which to recreate.

—A large band of gypsies, with a number of horses and wagons, crossed the ferry from Esopus to this city on Wednesday afternoon. They will go into camp near the city and "stick" anyone who trades horses with them.

—A new shaving shop has been opened in the Flatow building on Union avenue. The new barber is fresh from Paris and lathers, shaves and cuts with all the French improvements.

—If a person would like to hear excellent music he should attend service at St. Joseph's Church in the upper part of the city. Prof. Krause plays the organ, and he brings out a power of music that fills the church and charms the listener by its purity of tone.

—There was a very pleasant wedding in the upper part of the city Tuesday night. Lewie Reiss was married to Miss Annie Shader; the ceremony was performed by Rev. John E. Gorse, and Wiltwyck Hose Company boys went down with the Kingston Band to give the happy couple a serenade. They were treated to a sumptuous supper and everyone was very much pleased.

—There's one house uptown where the folks own a piano. They don't play themselves, but there's a gal comes there visiting once in a while and she plays—plays well, too. There is but one drawback, and that is the young lady only knows one piece; but she makes the most of that, and rattles away at it from morning until night. Every one in the neighborhood, the lovers of music and those who know no more about music than a jackass, are thoroughly acquainted with that piece. It's a march, we should judge, and we think that young lady has it to perfection. A dead march, we believe they call it, and we heard a person remark he would be very, very happy, if some one would play it at that young lady's funeral.

Nobby Boys.

The officers of the Thomas Powell have donned a navy uniform, blue coats, pants and vests, brass buttons and regulation caps.

New Boiler.

The steamer Columbia, of Cornell's towing line between this city and Hudson, is now at McEntee & Dillon's foundry, where she is receiving a new boiler.

Personal.

Edward Mattison, of Safford & Carter's establishment, has gone to New York to attend a wedding.

Alfred Tanner has sold his house on St. James street to Rudolph Tappen for $5,200. Tanner is going to build another soon.

Only in Fun.

Last evening Delia Spencer aimed a revolver at her husband in fun and pulled the trigger, not thinking the weapon was loaded. It was, however, and the ball struck her husband over the left eye, tearing away the flesh and scraping the bone—that's all!—*Poughkeepsie Eagle.*

Accident.

Charlie, the little son of C. L. Edmonds, on Wednesday fell down the stairs in the rear of that gentleman's ice cream saloon and sustained some severe injuries about his head, including a deep cut across his forehead. The little fellow had a narrow escape from death, as had the force of the fall been upon his temple it would probably have killed him. A surgeon dressed his wounds and he is doing well, though presenting a very scarred appearance.

Death of Two Aged People.

The Catskill Examiner of Saturday notices the death of a Mrs. Bidwell and a colored woman named "Aunt" Launey in that county, each of whom were about one hundred years old. The latter was formerly the slave of the Hardenburgh family, and she and her husband in 1825 refused to accept their liberty when slavery was abolished in this state.—Mrs. Bidwell remembered seeing soldiers at the time of the Revolution, was in the fort at Schoharie when it was attacked by Indians, and in company with others made the trip from Schoharie to Kingston on horseback.

Sporting Notes.

The uptown trotters make the road from this city to the hotel of Peter Clare very lively these pleasant days. This road, which could be put in excellent condition with a very small expense, is in its usual state of bumps and ruts that is sufficient to break the springs of almost any ordinary wagon. Why this road is always out of repair we cannot tell, but should suppose the horsemen of this city would be willing to subscribe enough out of their own pockets to make it a fit place to exercise their animals, and make this road a credit, instead of a disgrace to the place. However, the sporting men make the best use possible of the level places and some good speed is shown, notwithstanding the risk they run. The finest rig perhaps is that of Will Hermance, who drives a handsome bay mare to a trotting wagon, and she goes at a pace that would almost defy pursuit. Benson Wood handles a black gelding and bay mare, and the team is fast enough to throw sand in the eyes of any ordinary trotter. Next comes Luther Wood, who has a bay gelding that has an all-day gait, and will take its owner from this city to the Red House at a rate of speed that will make one wish he had a little stouter wagon, or that there were fewer jolts in the road.—Luther brought this horse from New York, and when he gets his ribs covered will be a stylish as well as a speedy animal. Major King goes down at a .30 clip, and of course cuts down all the smaller fry. This little horse will no doubt make a record this summer a few seconds lower than his Canada feat, and then he need not be afraid to tackle some of the most famous of thoroughbreds.

Temperance in Olive.

The no-license system works well in the town of Olive and the town has never been more orderly than for the past few weeks. Men who have been in the habit of spending their time and money in the places where liquor was sold now work industriously and can be found home at night with their families. In Shokan, all classes admit that unusual quiet and good order prevails. The disgusting sights that so often greeted the eyes of the citizens no longer are seen, and many a prayer is heard, "God bless the Board of Excise of the town of Olive."

A few days ago a prominent business man of Sampsonville, who has never allied himself to the temperance cause, was heard to say that he had lived in that place sixty years, and that during thirty years of that time beer and rum had been sold in the neighborhood; that for the past two weeks a great change could be seen. Men were more industrious, saved their money, paid their debts better, and spent their spare time at home instead of at the hotels and shops. The temperance people do not want to keep any traveler from stopping at the hotels, but if the hotel keepers will not provide for him at Shokan, G. M. Everett will see that he goes not away either hungry or without lodging, while at Olive Bridge, D. W. Hover will extend the hand of hospitality and entertain the guests.

Tows.

The following were yesterday's tows:

Steamers G. A. Hoyt and Oswego—Ice barge Samson, boats S. H. Snyder, Tanner, Day, Resolute, 19 D. & H. C. Co.'s boats, barge Ally Wolfer to Sing Sing, boat Sandy to New York.

Propeller Farrington—Boats Kate Kiernan, Belle, 1,807 to Newburgh, Alida, 1,699 to New Hamburgh, 1687, 343 to Poughkeepsie.

Steamer Herald—Boats Monocacy, Union, Plymouth, G. H. Preston, S. M. Clement, Transport, 1,964, (Pa. Coal Co.), 1,985, (D. & H. C. Co.) to Troy, ice barge Wallabout to Rodger's Island, boat Comet to New Baltimore.

Up tows from New York:

Steamers Marshall and A. B. Valentine—Boats Curbstone, Bluestone, C. S. Ingersoll, D. H. Rice, Merchant, Jas. A. Sweet, Onward, Gertrude, barges Relief, Mohegan, D. & H. C. Co.'s boats.

Shell.

The good people "up the dock" have got on a first-class scare over four or five old shell which Herold, the old junk dealer has on his premises. The neighbors are fearful the shells are charged with villainous gunpowder and during some serene night the diabolical things will explode and create great havoc. Two of these shell were round, the others conical; the round ones for some—to us—unknown reason created the most awe and fear, but some one was brave enough to capture those round engines of war and, it is supposed, cast them into the creek for safety. The conical shell were complained of to His Honor the Mayor, who instructed the Superintendent of Streets to inspect them and if found dangerous to remove them to Kingston Point and cast them into the river.

Election of Officers.

At the annual meeting of the Ulster County Homœopathic Medical Society, held at Kingston May 19th, 1874, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Dr. Levi Shafer, President; Dr. G. D. Crispell, Vice President; Dr. F. W. Ingalls, Secretary and Treasurer; Censors, Drs. A. P. Chalker, W. D. L. Montanye and F. W. Ingalls. Delegate to Homœopathic State Medical Society, Dr. A. P. Chalker. Delegate to American Institute of Homeopathy, Dr. W. D. L. Montanye.

The Death of Lutes.

There is much feeling uptown over the Lutes case, the general sentiment being that if ever there was a case of rum murder this was one, for Sandy Lutes killed himself by an over-indulgence in rum as really as if he had cut his throat, shot or hung himself. It would seem to us that this is a case where the seller of the liquor could be punished, but at any rate it furnishes a lesson that ought to make a deep and lasting impression.

COUNTY.

—The Ellenville Tanning Co. haul 11,000 hides daily at their tanneries in different parts of the country.

—The First National Bank of Ellenville has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent.

—The Marbletown and Old Hurley hens are on a strike, and there will necessarily be a rise in the egg market.

—The people at New Paltz Landing are moving for a post office in their place. They object to traveling up to Highland for mail matter.

—Two men distinguished themselves, *a la* Sam Patch, by standing upright on the tranverse section of the cross that surmounts the new Episcopal Church. The elevation is 170 feet from the ground, and if—"what a fall there would have been, my countrymen."—*Ellenville Journal.*

—The Ulster Blast Furnace has "blown out" and suspended—as we are informed—for about two months. Meantime there are to be additions and improvements made to the premises looking toward a resumption of business with increased facilities. The affairs of the concern are being settled up.—There are 166 furnaces "out of blast" in other sections of the country—cause, inactivity of the iron trade, and the low price of iron. —*Ellenville Journal.*

—The last sensation in Ellenville is an attempt by a well-known physician and politician of that place to pummel a lawyer for an improper and personal use of the English language. Friends interfered, so the result of the fight was a draw. It is rumored that a duel will be fought, the lawyer to use his pistol, and the man of physic his pills. As the lawyer is a dead shot and the doctor equally effectual in his line of warfare, the cemetery association are quite sure of the sale of a couple of lots.

VICINITY.

—Troy is troubled with door-mat thieves.

—Port Jervis is sensibly doing a good deal of improving in the flagging line.

—A brass band composed of ladies is being organized at Deposit.

—Fishing in the Wallkill is now excellent.

—The Midland laborers have been paid off for March.

—Montgomery is going to flag its walks at thirteen cents per foot.

—Petty thievery is brisk down at Poughkeepsie. Watch that corner stone, boys.

—Pond Eddy scoundrels stone passing railway trains.

—Mr. Olmstead of Port Jervis still stays disappeared.

—The Newburgh Journal is spurring up its merchants on advertising.

—Newburgh's young savages play base-ball on Sunday.

—The Stamford Mirror don't like the Grangers and goeth for them roughly.

—The roughs of Newburgh have their little mills at Washington's Headquarters.

—Old John Henry Gepsium is what the Albany Journal calls the Cardiff Giant. But isn't it libellous?

—The Goshen Republican is sixty-six years old and smart enough to be a good deal younger.

—The principal excitement in Newburgh now is sword presentations to officers of the "Mulligan Guards."

—Port Jervis has a 306-year-old Bible. A Bible lasts a good while in Port Jervis, because it is used very little.

—Gracious, though! how the Hudson Register and Gazette are letting into each other. Somebody go up and pour water on them.

—Poughkeepsie's liquor saloons were closed on Sunday, and in consequence the city was remarkably quiet.

—Assemblyman Beebe is spoken of as the probable Democratic candidate for Congress next fall.

—Newburgh claims to have a smaller debt and pays less taxation than any other town along the river. And is duller.

—The rumsellers of Delhi hung Rev. Mr. Marcombar, a prominent temperance man, in effigy. But they can't get any license.

—The Delhi Republican calls for "a grand uprising of the people" to finish working one of its streets.

—Delhi has a firm composed of a doctor and grave stone maker. Which looks bad for Delhi's health.

—A fellow in Troy got a sound thrashing for playing the Tom Collins joke on another chap. And he deserved it.

—Steamboat robbers have commenced operations on the river night lines. One of them hauled $2,000 worth of diamonds on the Dean Richmond the other night.

—Newburgh is still agitated about its public pier, while it pronounces the Fishkill dock a man-trap. Somebody please loan Newburgh a dock.

—A Russian Countess rushed through Po'keepsie the other day. She didn't know anything about the bridge corner stone or she would have stopped longer.

—The funeral of James Collingwood at Po'keepsie on Tuesday was largely attended, the Mayor and Common Council being among the attendants.

—The Poughkeepsie Eagle don't want a noisy Fourth of July celebration this year. It wants all the noise and enthusiasm saved for 1876.

—George and Fenton, the Newburgh defaulting lawyers, are ordered to appear at the next General Term and show cause why they shall not be thrown out of the bar.

—The Middletown Press "shudders to think what might be the consequences should our Monhagen reservoir give way." One immediate effect of such a possibility should be the improvement of Middletown's morals.

—Hon. Beebe is not only a receiver of presents, but he gives them away also. He presented the foreman of his newspaper office, who rescued the books and other property from the recent fire, with $100 and a suit of new clothes.

—Necessity is the mother of invention. Albany roughs spoiled women's dresses by squirting tobacco juice over them, and now a preparation has been invented up there for removing the stains. This is more humane than punishing the culprits.

—The Albany Steuben Cadets, who went down to Catskill to keep the Catskillians from lynching Waltz, were so pleased with the treatment they received that they are going down for a pic-nic on the 22d and 23d of June.

—Two of the victims of the appalling catastrophe at Haydenville belonged in Greenbush. They were the wife and child of Baggageman Chandler, of Greenbush, and were at Haydenville on a visit at the time of the accident. Their bodies arrived at Greenbush on Sunday and were buried Monday afternoon.

—The Wallkill is to have a steamboat. The Montgomery Republican says: Mr. Thomas Hamer, our enterprising jeweler, proposes to launch upon the Wallkill at this place, during next summer, a small steamer to accommodate pleasure parties, pic-nics, and all that may desire a sail on the pelucid waters of that stream. He has already purchased an oscillating, six-horse-power engine, which is to be used for the propelling power.

Serious Accident.

Last Monday afternoon (11th) as Mr. Oscar Bloomer was coming from Hampton, where he had been after a load of lumber for the Hon. Jeremiah Clark, he met with an accident which at one time was thought would prove fatal. He was coming down a hill this side of Mr. Peck's, when a stick fell against the horse, which caused him to run away. Mr. Bloomer, in attempting to jump from the wagon, caught a leg in the reins, which threw him under the wheels and broke his leg. Dr. Miller was called and set the broken limb, and Mr. B. was feeling quite comfortable. On Tuesday he grew worse, and Dr. Barclay of Newburgh was called. He said that he was injured internally. He is some better to-day. *Correspondence Newburgh Journal.*

Very Low Water.

There is a dry sort of a skipper on board one of the Rondout steamboats. A few evenings since the tide was very low and as the boat came up to her dock the skipper saw a man with two pails, in the act of drawing water, and accosted him with, "See here, mister, what the deuce are you doing? The tide is so low now that we can hardly get up to our berth, and yet, here *you* are, making it worse! We won't have any more of this—you must get water somewhere else." The drawer of water, fully convinced by such logic, emptied back his pails into the creek, and went off to get water where the taking of it would not interfere with navigation.

The Saugerties Road.

The scenery along the road leading from this city to Saugerties is very pleasant to look at now-a-days, for the meadows are green, the trees bright with their new garments, while the Catskill range, reaching from High Point almost to the horizon on the north, is a background to the picture that would throw an artist in raptures. There can hardly be found a finer drive than to go down this road until near the Red House, then turn to the left towards Legg's mill and so around the block to the main road, and from thence home. The owners of horses, and men of leisure, if they appreciate delicious spring weather, certainly are blessed mortals.

Ellenville Scared.

The terrible disaster at Millbrook, in Massachusetts, has created a great scare in Ellenville, for at the head of the gorge above the village is a lake or pond over three miles in length, with an average depth of twenty or thirty feet, held by a dam built across the ravine. A break in this wall (and it has shown signs of weakness for a number of years) would carry destruction through the village, causing a calamity by the side of which the eastern horror would seem trifling. No wonder the Ellenville people shiver when they think of it.

OUR FREE PARLIAMENT.

OPERA HOUSE.

Another Explosion from our Den of Cussedness—Mr. Opera House Flings out Another Innuendo.

KINGSTON, May 19, 1874.

MR. EDITOR:—Your Free Parliament is getting to be an interesting feature of your Daily. "Community" seems to have rankled the bosom of the Manager of the Rondout Opera House, and that individual avails himself of the opportunity to publish another card in answer to certain *dastardly* insinuations. Now Community doesn't insinuate, but openly charges his entertainments as having an immoral effect upon those who frequent them. The manager, instead of answering the charges or interrogations, takes the Yankee method by asking more; this evasion may appear wise to him, but to the public it is ridiculous.

He persists that his first card was a general invitation to any person or persons to call at the Opera House for the purpose of investigating the falsity of such charges. Mr. Manager, you have extended the right to all persons, would you permit the wives of some of our *gentry* to the *auditorium* of your entertainments? Why not; fumigating weeds, or the apostles of Gambrinus or Bacchus should be no excuse? You evade the answer as to the rules in regard to the ladies responding to the call from the gents in private boxes. What is the reputation of the house kept by the ladies who occupied a box on Thursday and Friday evening last, and later in the evening remained in your establishment 'till two gents attending at your moral show escorted them home?

The manager attempts to quote from the Scriptures, and his unfamiliarity with such teachings present him as a proper subject to superintend his "varieties." "Hide his light under a half bushel;" we prefer, Louie, to hide under a small measure, rather than wrap the curtain of a private box around us.

"Do we know that a stranger conducted the Opera House last year?" Yes; he procured a license from our local authorities, and paid for the time of his performing, but at the opening of the present season he was so sensible as to foresee the opinion of the general community, and at the first proffer for its purchase "let 'er rip." Why, Louie! you're *gulled*. The retiring proprietor was more exercised about disposing of the PEST-HOUSE than he was about his team of bays, and from the original price asked for them he deducted three hundred dollars. After you were duped into the Op-roar House had you offered to give him back the concern five hundred dollars less than you paid for it, he would have laughed at you with derision for your foolhardiness. You have our most heartfelt commiseration in your present affliction. We are not troubled with "presumption," nor asserted that we were the Jim Fisk of our virgin city. You may be the Fisk of the "Mulligan Guards" at your Pandemonium, but it will be long ere you possess the military *esprit* of the late Colonel of the Ninth Infantry—or be a railroad magnate such as he in his day, though you may be sustained by some of our railroad men. Bear in mind some important props are absent.

You say it is false that you have set the City Fathers at defiance. How did you treat His Honor the Mayor, the Chief Magistrate of the city, when he called upon you to pay the city license? Did you pay? And when his back was turned, in conversation with others, didn't you use language to the effect that the city officials could perform an act too vulgar to be named here? To His Honor and the proper officials of our city, we can only say with Pope—

"Let fierce Achilles the gods propitiate, and pest assuage."

COMMUNITY.

"Reserved Seats."

KINGSTON, May 20.

EDITOR FREEMAN—SIR:—To-day's Freeman stated that reserved seat tickets may be procured for next Monday evening's minstrel performance.

In your next issue will you please tell us what *reserving* virtue there is in a ticket which permits you to sit anywhere between the stage and two-thirds the distance to the rear end of the hall; which obliges you to be on hand as soon as the doors are opened, and in the inevitable pell-mell scramble to get in at all, take nine chances in ten of having your entire anatomy thoroughly battered, bruised and disjointed—saying nothing of that new tile being smashed down over your eyes, and Matilda Jones' elegant Polly nay completely wrecked?

If there is a bigger fraud and swindle than this method of selling "reserved" seats, deliver us from it. PAT MALOY.

[We think our correspondent answers his own query as forcibly as we could do it. However, it is our minstrel and all other exhibitions that advertise reserved seats who should in some way provide some real acommodation in that line. The only difference between a "reserved seat" and an ordinary one seems to be the price, as these exhibitions are generally conducted.

Large VARIETY of CARPETS in new and novel ideas. Fine stock of WINDOW DRAPERIES and SHADES and SHADE FIXTURES, OIL CLOTH, Plain and Fancy Mattings, and beautiful VELVET RUGS. Choice Worsted Dress Fabrics for the Summer Trade; Black Grenadines, new and staple qualities, Black Silks of the very best makes. New variety of Grisaille Summer Silks, Trimming Silks. Elegant line of Parasols, Kid Gloves in well-known and popular makes. J. O. & G. B. MERRITT, No. 5 Wall St.

Get your PIPES at EDMONSTON'S.

Ladies,

Go for your HATS to Mrs. H. BLOCK'S, where you will find a large assortment of TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED HATS (very cheap). Alson a large assortment of Dry and Fancy Goods at the lowest prices. STAMPING DONE TO ORDER.

Wall Paper! Wall Paper!!

Persons desiring Fine Wall Paper can be suited at CHARLES KERR'S, Saving Bank Building, Wall street.

Fruit.

At the HUGUENOT SALOON you always find the FINEST FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC FRUITS of all kinds that can be found in the markets

Get your CIGARS at EDMONSTON'S.

Going for

Croquet Setts, Clothes Wringers, Polishing Irons and thirty-three reasons why everybody should have "Weed's" Carpet Sweeper at A. DODGE'S.

Here We are Again

At B. McBRIDE's ready to supply the traveling and local public with pure Ice Cream and Soda Water. Also Belfast Ginger Ale, Dacota Root Beer, and all kinds of Confections at wholesale and retail. B. McBRIDE, Union avenue.

Get your SNUFF at EDMONSTON'S.

Ladies' and Children's Suits.

Just received a large assortment of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S SUITS at very low prices. Also a large assortment of WRAPPERS and LADIES' UNDERGARMENTS at the very lowest prices at Mrs. H. BLOCK'S, Union avenue, three doors above Union street, Rondout, N. Y.

New lot of Ribbons assorted widths and shades for 20cts. a yard at CROSBY, LAWRENCE & Co.'s.

Get your TOBACCO at EDMONSTON'S.

Sheet Music! Sheet Music!!

A large and choice selection at Chas. Kerr's, Saving Bank Building, Wall street.

Our Organs with new improvements and at lowest prices are sold in Kingston only by our exclusive agent Mr. Nathan Curtis.

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Buy your chestnut and stove coal of D. C. Overbaugh, who has taken in a fresh lot of nice clean coal. Honest weight given and coal all screened. W. H. Freer, 20 Wall street, is my agent for the upper portion of the city.

D. C. OVERBAUGH.

KINGSTON COAL DEPOT, March 30, 1874.

Chivalric! Chivalric!

The new out-of-door game and Croquet at Chas. Kerr's, Savings Bank Building, Wall street.

Keep Your Eye on the Gun.

They do that at the HUGUENOT SALOON, Fair street near the post office, when they make ICE CREAM. Call and try it.

That Iron is Valuable as a Medicine has long been known, but it is only since its preparation in the particular form of Peruvian Syrup that its full power over disease has been brought to light. Its effect in cases of dyspepsia and debility is most salutary.

Headache.

How many ladies, young and old, are abject slaves to Headache, Neuralgia, etc., making them unfit to enjoy society, rendering life a burden, and robbing them of beauty, youth and amiability. Briggs' Allevantor is a pleasant and certain cure. Sold by Calvin Markle, Accord.

Every One is Using

Florentine Tooth Powder. This is the cream of all preparations for the teeth. For refreshing the mouth, arresting decay and imparting a delightful fragrance, it has no equal. Masten's Florentine Tooth Powder is sold at Masten's drug store and by all druggists.

Opportunity.

During the week, all in need of Lace Sacques, Scarfs, Grenadines and Summer Dress Goods, will have an opportunity of selecting from a full stock at very low prices at DECKER, RADCLIFF & WOOD'S, Opposite Court House.

Confections.

A good stock of CONFECTIONS of the best quality at the HUGUENOT SALOON—try our TEAS, COFFEES, SPICES, CANNED FRUITS, PICKLES, FISH, OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, OREGON SALMON, ASPARAGUS, FRENCH CHOW CHOW, SARDINES, JELLIES, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, TOBACCO AND CIGARS and a good LUNCH OR DINNER.

Corns.

Miracles are so common that we are no more surprised at the miraculous, but we are delighted to have our corns disappear and bunions cease to throb with pain, ingrowing nails no longer penetrate the flesh. All these benefits are secured by the use of Briggs' Miraculous Corn and Bunion Remedies. Sold by P. Gray, High Falls.

The best Dress Goods at 15cts. a yard in the city at CROSBY, LAWRENCE & CO.'S.

At O. Hermance's, Music Hall

Is where I buy the best ten-cent cigar in the city. Stop in when you go to the Post-office and try one.

Dr. J. Briggs' Throat and Lung Healer is composed of Canada Balsam, Extract of Tamarac, and other Balsam, Gums, Roots, Plants, &c., which are combined in the most scientific manner. It is pleasant and more agreeable to take than any other in use. Old people like it, and babies cry for it. Sold by Van Deusen Bros., Rondout and Kingston.

Piles.

The unceasing torture from Internal, Bleeding, External and Itching Piles is fast wearing out thousands who are afflicted, their hope and courage having long since given place to despair. Let those who see this cheer up, for a mild and sure cure may be had by using Briggs' Pile Remedies. Sold by Druggists. Sold by Ike Hasbrouck, High Falls.

Ladies?

Remember, we open to-day a large assortment of Lace Sacques and Scarfs in beautiful patterns. DECKER, RADCLIFF & WOOD, Nearly Opposite Court House.

Piles.

If it were possible to portray the torture endured by millions who are troubled with internal, bleeding, external and itching piles, the picture would not be a pleasant one. The agonies of the cursed cannot be worse, and from these sufferings there seems no escape. But science has demonstrated there is a remedy, safe and reliable. Dr. J. Briggs' Pile Remedies are the climax of medical science. Sold by J. G. Kemble, Stone Ridge.

AS CURATIVE AGENTS, the Balsamic virtues of the Wild Evergreen in the cure of the numerous diseases of the Throat, Lungs, Chest, Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, which always, in our ever-varying climate, prevail in a greater or less degree, are well-known; but the power of relieving, healing and curing these diseases is enhanced when, by scientific principles, it is combined with other ingredients of equal value as healing agents. Sold by Van Wagonen & Davis, Stone Ridge.

LARYNGITIS, OR CLERGYMAN'S SORE THROAT, is an inflamation of the Throat and Larynx, caused by over-exertion in speaking or singing, very often becoming chronic, attended with hoarseness and great difficulty in swallowing, and intense suffering in speaking. It often becomes very serious in cases of long standing, and death has frequently resulted from this disease. Burning, cauterizing and other severe methods of treatment are dangerous. BRIGGS' THROAT AND LUNG HEALER is a soothing an reliable remedy. Sold by R. Deyo, Rondout.

"Good morning, Susan; how do you dew?" "Very well, I thank you, but ma is almost dead with her bunions." "Well, I declare; I never heard she had such things, but they do say Briggs' Corn and Bunion Remedies are a sartin cure. All the drug stores have got some and say they sell awful fast." Sold by Dr. Lounsbery, Stone Ridge.

Excursion Tickets at One-Quarter Rates

Can be obtained at O. Hermance's in Music Hall. These tickets will give any person the privilege to walk, ride or drive on any road or street in this city or in the country to his saloon, so they may partake of O. Hermance's *Ice Cream* made from *Pure Cream*, and *Soda Water* from Matthews' Celebrated Fountain. There is no better Cream or Soda Water in the state. Eat, drink and be merry.

PILES may be caused by anything that will irritate the lower bowels, producing a determination of blood to the rectum, as drastic cathartics, from the extensive use of which, in past years, the disease has become very common, habitual constipation, straining at stool, diseases of the liver, much riding on horseback, tight stays, sedentary habits, high living, heating, irritating food, etc. USE BRIGG'S PILE REMEDIES. Sold by S. E. D. Hoornbeck, Wawarsing.

Are You Ready?

Decker, Radcliff & Wood will open to-day at their new store, nearly opposite the Court House, the best assortment of Lace Sacques and Scarfs ever offered in Kingston.

MARRIED.

ELTINGE—LEFEVRE—At the residence of the bride's parents in New Paltz, on Tuesday, May 19th, by Rev. Dr. Peltz, Captain Peter Eltinge and Miss Maggie LeFevre, only daughter of Moses P. LeFevre, Esq., all of New Paltz.

WANTED.—A WIDOW WOMAN to do the cooking for the men working in my brickyard near Port Ewen—one who has had experience as cook at a brickyard preferred. None need apply without having a recommendation from their last employer.
Sleightburg, May 20th, 1874. MORGAN EVERSON.

FOR SALE.—DESIRABLE building lots on Clifton avenue, at reasonable rates, and terms to suit purchaser. This location bids fair to be the centre of this thriving city, and in the immediate vicinity of the public buildings; convenient to both the upper and lower part of the city. Other lots in the vicinity also for sale. Apply to WM. M. HAYES, Wall street.

$200 REWARD WILL BE paid for the recovery of the goods stolen from the store of James Kerley on April 13th, and no questions asked. JAMES KERLEY.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One 12x24 STEAM ENGINE, NEW. Also TWO BOILERS, second hand, nearly as good as new, 14 feet long, 3 feet diameter, two 12 inch flues in each.
HERMANCE, NEWTON & CO. Upper Kingston.

THE OFFICE OF UNITED States Collector of Internal Revenue for the Thirteenth District has been removed to my shop on Union avenue. Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. J. P. CURTIS, Collector.

LOST.—A POCKET BOOK CONtaining about $18 was lost on Columbus avenue, on Monday morning, May 11th. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at the Millinery store of MISS MARY M. KNIGHT, corner Hasbrouck avenue and Garden street, Rondout.

FOR SALE.—THE RESIDENCE of the late Edwin W. Budington, on Manor avenue, one mile from the Court House. Inquire on the premises.

NOTICE.—THIS IS TO GIVE notice that my wife has left my bed and board, and I forbid all persons to harbor or trust her on my account, as I will not pay any bills of her contracting. JOHN FASSHOUER.

TO LET.—THE FIRST FLOOR and cellar of a house in Garden street, Rondout. Inquire of MRS. A. M. SOURS.

MILLINERY.—Misses Schaffer & Masten have opened the rooms in the Hirsch Building, Garden street, formerly occupied by Miss Deudney, and having stocked them with a large assortment of everything in the millinery line fashionable for the season, they are competent to make them up in the most tasteful and fashionable forms. They will be pleased to have ladies call and examine their goods and prices.
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WANTED—A SITUATION AS gardener or hostler. Am a married man and will attend strictly to business. Best of references furnished. ANTON LIESIETSKI, Brennier House, Union avenue, uptown.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE or TO LET.—At Rhinecliff, N. Y., a corner, suitable for a hotel or store. Lot 80 and 100 feet. Also a good size Barn. This is a good chance for an enterprising man. Rent low. Apply to P. McCORMICK, Soap Manufacturer, Division street, Rondout.

BOARDERS, CAN FIND PLEASant rooms, and board, at the residence of the undersigned on North Front street. WM. D. HILL, Kingston, N. Y.

WESTERN CANAL BOAT FOR SALE. INQUIRE OF E. O'REILLY, Rondout.

FOR SALE.—THE BRICK STORE and Dwelling House opposite Mr. Disbrow's store, Union avenue, recently occupied by W. Marsh as a drug store and dwelling. For price and terms apply to AUG. SCHOONMAKER, Jr., or to the subscriber,
G. L. BUDINGTON, Administrator.

ANNUAL MEETING.
KINGSTON WATER WORKS COMPANY, RONDOUT, May 16th, 1874.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office of Thomas Cornell, on Monday, June 1st, proximo, at 10 o'clock A. M. R. G. TOWNSEND, Treasurer.

MASON & HAMLIN CABINET ORGANS.—Winners of highest Medals at Paris, 1867; Vienna, 1873; and in America always. New Styles, with improvements. Patented in October, 1873, and January, 1874. Prices reduced. Organs for rent, with privilege of purchase, or sold for payments by installments. Catalogues and Price Lists free. Address, NATHAN CURTIS, Music Hall, Kingston, N. Y.

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FOR SALE.—THE HOUSE AND grounds of Isaac A. Forsyth on Pierpont street. The lot is 136x126 feet. The house is new and contains nine rooms, with all the necessary out buildings. The house is a frame building filled in with brick. Brick cellar under house, with faucet inside intended for wash-house. Sink and pump in kitchen with pipe under ground to receive the waste water. The grounds are terraced and planted wit fruit trees. Inquire of the owner on the premises, or of HIRAM ROOSA, Mansion House Building.

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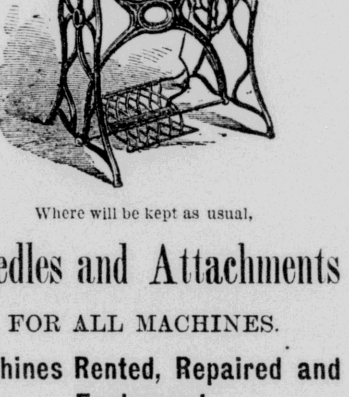
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The largest Hall Show ever organized in this country, embracing the finest classical Gymnastic Performances, the greatest Musical organization, the best troupe of Character Artists, composed of
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A Splendid Brass Band and Superb Orchestra, and the great troupe of Six genuine
WARM SPRING INDIANS.
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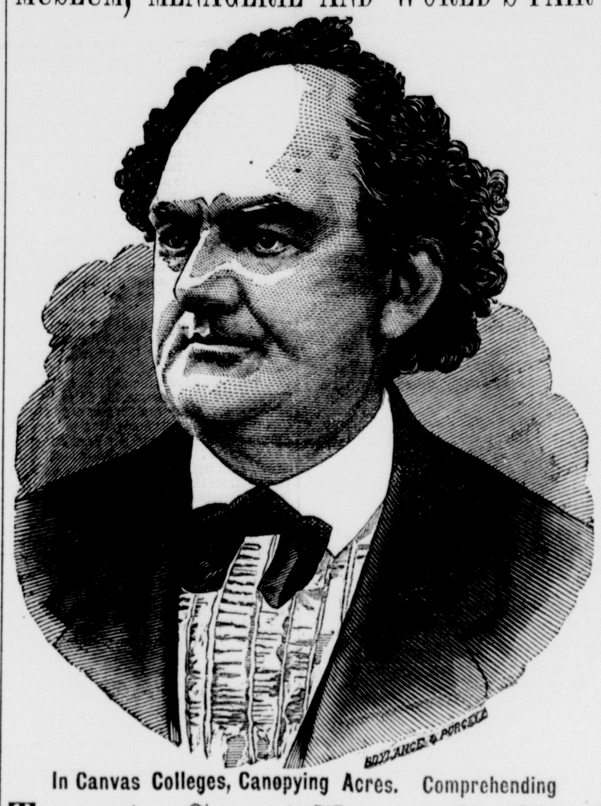
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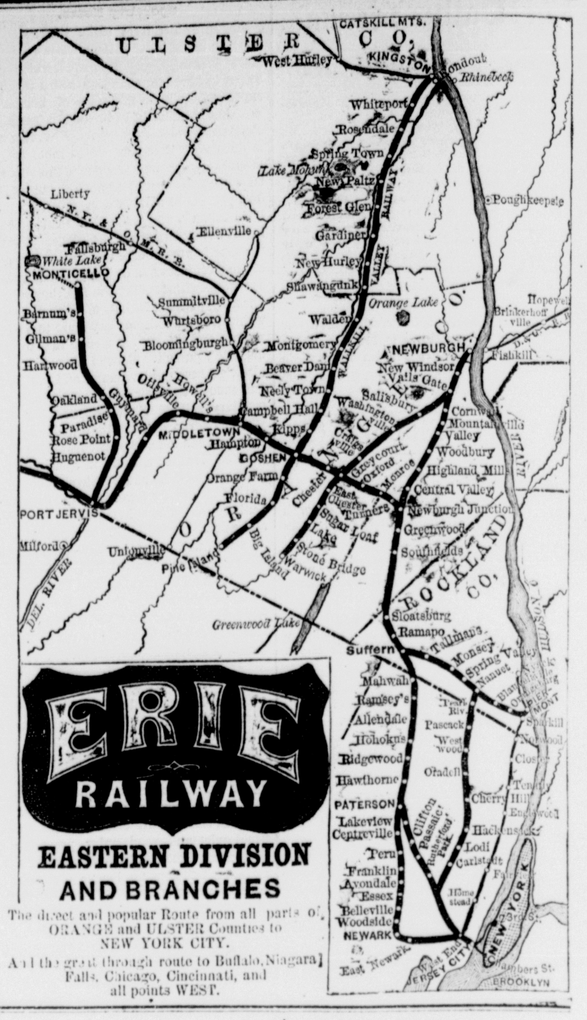
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EASTWARD TRAINS.

STATIONS.	173 A. M.	175 P. M.	177 P. M.
Dep. Kingston,	7:15 a. m.	3:10 p. m.	2:00 p.
" Whitepoint,	7:27 "	3:50 "	2:39 "
" Rosendale,	7:39 "	4:00 "	2:49 "
" Springtown,	†7:47 "	4:08 "	2:55 "
" New Paltz,	7:57 "	4:17 "	3:16 "
" Forest Glen,	†8:03 "	4:25 "	3:30 "
" Gardiner,	8:12 "	4:35 "	3:50 "
" New Hurley,	†8:19 "	4:44 "	4:05 "
" Shawanguni,	8:26 "	4:52 "	†4:24 "
" Walden,	8:37 "	5:03 "	†4:46 "
" Montgomery	8:47 "	5:15 "	5:20 "
" Beaver Dan,	8:51 "	5:20 "	5:35 "
" Neelytown,	8:57 "	5:26 "	5:45 "
" CampbellHall	9:05 "	5:34 "	6:16 "
" Kipp's,	9:13 "	5:41 "	6:30 "
Arr. Goshen,	9:20 "	5:48 "	6:40 "
" New York,	11:40 "	8:05 "	

WESTWARD TRAINS.

STATIONS.	175 P. M.	177 P. M.	179 P. M.
Dep. New York,	9:00 a. m.	3:30 p. m.	
" Goshen,	11:20 "	6:00 "	7:40 a. m.
" Kipp's,	11:28 "	6:07 "	7:52 "
" CampbellHall,	11:45 "	6:16 "	8:07 "
" Neelytown,	11:54 "	6:23 "	8:20 "
" Beaver Dam,	12:02 p. m.	6:28 "	8:30 "
" Montgomery,	12:12 "	6:35 "	8:47 "
" Walden,	12:24 "	6:45 "	9:07 "
" Shawangunk,	12:34 "	6:54 "	9:26 "
" New Hurley,	12:42 "	7:00 "	9:47 "
" Gardiner,	12:52 "	7:11 "	10:10 "
" Forest Glen,	1:02 "	7:21 "	10:26 "
" New Paltz,	1:12 "	7:31 "	10:4 "
" Springtown,	1:21 "	†7:39 "	11:02 "
" Rosendale,	1:33 "	7:51 "	11:20 "
" Whitepoint,	1:43 "	8:03 "	11:45 "
Arr. Kingston,	1:55 "	8:15 "	12:05 "

RECAPITULATION:

LEAVE KINGSTON, 7:15 A. M. 3:10 P. M. 2:00 P. M.
ARRIVE NEW YORK, 11:40 " 8:05 " " "
LEAVE NEW YORK, 9:00 A. M. 3:30 P. M.
ARRIVE KINGSTON, 1:55 P. M. 8:15 " "

☞ A train will leave Goshen on Sundays on arrival of Main Line Train "Sunday Special" for Kingston, making the running time of train 175.

Train 176 will run daily, and other Trains will run daily except Sundays.

J. H. JONES, Gen. Supt.

N. Y., K. & S. R. R. TIME-TABLE.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

TRAINS GOING WEST

STATIONS.	1 A. M.	3 P. M.	5 P. M.	7 P. M.
Rondout, leave	7 00	2 30	4 00	12 30
Kingston Junction,	7 08	2 39	4 12	12 43
Kingston,	7 15	2 47	4 23	†12 50
Stony Hollow,	†7 27	†3 02	4 34	†1 50
West Hurley,	7 33	3 09	4 37	1 29
Beaverkill,	7 41	3 20	5 12	1 35
Brooks' Crossing,	*7 50	*3 31	5 24	
Olive Bridge,	7 56	3 40	5 36	
Shokan,	8 02	3 45	5 43	
Boiceville,	8 07	3 54	5 54	
Mount Pleasant,	8 18	4 10	6 08	
Phoenicia,	8 27	4 21	6 19	
Fox Hollow,	*8 39	*4 34	6 36	
Shaddaken,	8 45	4 41	6 46	
Big Indian,	8 57	4 54	7 00	
Pine Hill,	†9 08	5 03		
Summit,	†9 18	†3 19		
Griffin's Corners,	9 30	5 33		
Dean's Corners,	9 44	5 48		
Kelly's Corners,	†9 52	5 57		
Halcottville,	†9 57	6 04		
Stratton Falls,	*10 07	†6 18		
Roxbury,	10 14	6 28		
Moresville,	10 21	6 52		
Stamford, arrive	11 00	7 30		

† Trains Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7 will run daily, Sundays excepted.
* Trains do not stop.
† Trains stop only when flagged.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	2 A. M.	4 A. M.	6 P. M.	8 P. M.
Stamford, leave		6 20	1 30	
Moresville,		6 55	1 59	
Roxbury,		7 19	2 15	
Stratton Falls,		†7 26	*2 20	
Halcottville,		7 38	†2 29	
Kelley's Corners,		7 44	*2 34	
Dean's Corners,		7 56	2 45	
Griffin's Corners,		8 10	2 57	
Summit,		†8 23	*3 06	
Pine Hill,		8 38	†3 16	
Big Indian,	6 30	9 00	3 31	
Shandaken,	6 42	9 10	3 40	
Fox Hollow,	6 52	9 15	*3 44	
Phoenicia,	7 13	9 32	3 58	
Mount Pleasant,	7 27	9 41	4 07	
Boiceville,	7 45	*9 53	4 18	
Shokan,	8 02	10 02	4 25	
Olive Bridge,	*8 08	10 07	4 29	
Brooks' Crossing,	8 20	*10 15	*4 35	
Beaverkill,	8 35	10 26	4 45	1 45
West Hurley,	8 53	10 38	4 56	2 00
Stony Hollow,	9 01	*10 45	*5 01	2 07
Kingston,	9 21	11 05	5 18	*2 27
Kingston Junction,	9 30	11 10	5 15	*2 40
Rondout, arrive	9 40	11 20	5 26	2 50

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LEAVE RONDOUT.

A. M.	
6.50	Up Po'keepsie Special, 7.20
8.00	Down Express train, 8.29
9.15	Down Special, 9.44
10.40	Up Express train, 11.13
11.45	Down Express train, 12.19
P. M.	
1.35	Up Express train, 2.09
	Down Po'keepsie train, 2.4
2.45	No train.
3.45	No Train
5.00	No train
6.00	Down train, 6.38
7.00	Up Express, 7.28

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New York through, 7:40 P. M.
New York & way, 11:40 A. M.
Albany through, 8:40 A. M.
Albany & way, 12:45 P. M. 6:50 P. M.
New York, K. & S. R. R., 6 P. M.
Wallkill Valley R. R., 3 P. M.
Ellenville, 3 P. M.
Kingston, 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M., 6 P. M.
Rifton Glen, 10 A. M.
Esopus 10:30 A. M.
Wilbur special, 7 A. M., 5 P. M.
Rhinebeck, 7:45 P. M.

CLOSE.

New York through, 7:30 A. M.
New York & way, 11:20 A. M., 5:40 P. M.
Albany through, 10:15 A. M.
Albany & way, 10:15 A. M.
New York, K. & S. R. R., 6:30 A. M.
Wallkill Valley Railway, 2:30 P. M.
Ellenville, 6 A. M.
Kingston, 6 A. M., 11:15 A. M.
Rifton Glen, 12:40 P. M.
Esopus, 1:45 P. M.
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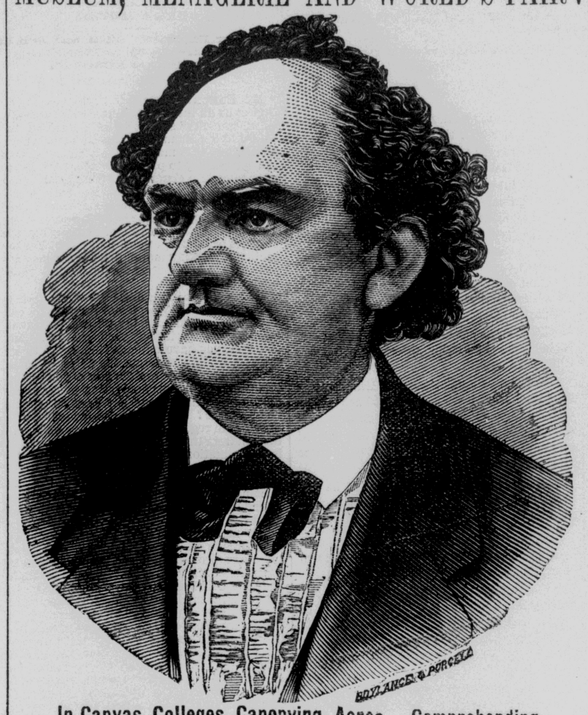
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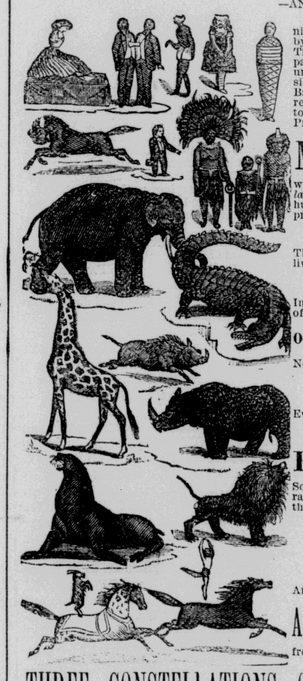
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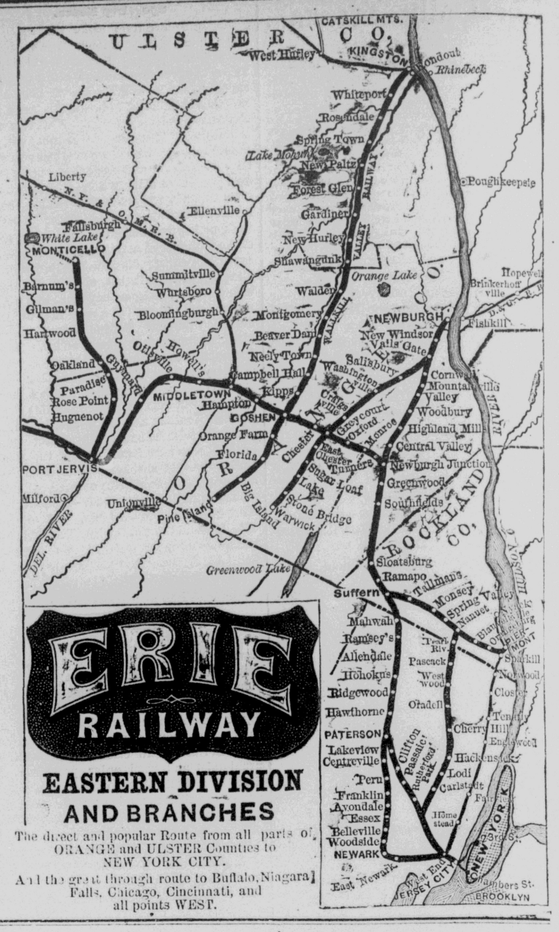
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Time Table of Wallkill Valley Railway,

Took effect Monday, January 12, 1874.

EASTWARD TRAINS.

	174	176
Dep. Kingston,	7:15 a. m.	3:40 p. m. 2:00 p.
" Whiteport,	*7:27 "	3:50 " 2:20 "
" Rosendale,	7:39 "	4:00 " 2:40 "
" Springtown,	*7:47 "	4:08 " 2:55 "
" New Paltz,	7:57 "	4:17 " 3:16 "
" Forest Glen,	*8:03 "	4:25 " 3:30 "
" Gardiner,	8:12 "	4:35 " 3:50 "
" New Hurley,	*8:19 "	4:44 " 4:05 "
" Shawangunk,	8:26 "	4:53 " *4:24 "
" Walden,	8:37 "	5:03 " 4:46 "
" Montgomery	8:47 "	5:15 " 5:20 "
" Beaver Dam,	8:51 "	5:20 " 5:35 "
" Neelytown,	8:57 "	5:26 " 5:45 "
" CampbellHall,	9:05 "	5:34 " 6:16 "
" Kipp's,	9:13 "	5:41 " 6:30 "
Arr. Goshen,	9:20 "	5:48 " 6:40 "
" New York,	11:40 "	8:05

WESTWARD TRAINS.

	175	177	179
Dep. New York,	9:00 a. m.	3:30 p. m.	
" Goshen,	11:30 "	6:00 "	7:40 a. m
" Kipp's,	11:38 "	6:07 "	7:52 "
" CampbellHall,	11:45 "	6:16 "	8:07 "
" Neelytown,	11:54 "	6:23 "	8:20 "
" Beaver Dam,	12:02 p. m.	6:33 "	8:30 "
" Montgomery,	12:12 "	6:35 "	8:47 "
" Walden,	12:24 "	6:45 "	9:07 "
" Shawangunk,	12:34 "	6:54 "	9:32 "
" New Hurley,	12:42 "	7:00 "	9:47 "
" Gardiner,	12:52 "	7:11 "	10:10 "
" Forest Glen,	1:02 "	7:21 "	10:26 "
" New Paltz,	1:12 "	7:31 "	10:4 "
" Springtown,	1:21 "	*7:39 "	11:02 "
" Rosendale,	1:33 "	7:51 "	11:20 "
" Whiteport,	1:43 "	8:03 "	11:45 "
Arr. Kingston,	1:55 "	8:15 "	12:05 "

RECAPITULATION:

LEAVE KINGSTON, 7:15 A. M. 3:40 P. M.
ARRIVE NEW YORK, 11:40 " 8:05 "

LEAVE NEW YORK, 9:00 A. M. 3:30 P. M
ARRIVE KINGSTON, 1:55 P. M. 8:15 "

☞ A train will leave Goshen on Sundays on arrival of Main Line Train "Sunday Special" for Kingston, making the running time of train 175.

Train 176 will run daily, and other Trains will run daily except Sundays.

J. H. JONES, Gen. Supt.

N. Y., K. & S. R. R. TIME-TABLE.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

TRAINS GOING WEST

STATIONS.	1 A. M.	3 P. M.	5 P. M.	7 P. M.
Rondout, leave	7 00	2 30	4 00	12 30
Kingston Junction,	7 08	2 39	4 12	12 42
Kingston,	7 15	2 47	4 23	*12 50
Stony Hollow,	*7 27	*3 02	4 24	*1 10
West Hurley,	7 33	3 09	4 57	1 20
Beaverkill,	7 41	3 20	5 12	1 35
Brooks' Crossing,	*7 50	*3 31	5 24	
Olive Bridge,	7 56	3 40	5 36	
Shokan,	8 00	3 45	5 43	
Boiceville,	8 07	3 54	5 54	
Mount Pleasant,	8 18	4 10	6 08	
Phoenicia,	8 27	4 21	6 19	
Fox Hollow,	*8 39	*4 34	6 36	
Shandaken,	8 45	4 41	6 46	
Big Indian,	8 57	4 54	7 00	
Pine Hill,	†9 08	5 03		
Summit,	*9 18	†5 19		
Griffin's Corners,	9 30	5 58		
Dean's Corners,	9 44	5 48		
Kelly's Corners,	*9 52	5 57		
Halcottville,	†9 57	6 04		
Stratton Falls,	*10 07	†6 18		
Roxbury,	10 14	6 28		
Moresville,	10 31	6 52		
Stamford, arrive	11 00	7 30		

*Trains Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7 will run daily, Sundays excepted.
*Trains do not stop.
†Trains stop only when flagged.

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	2 A. M.	4 A. M.	6 P. M.	8 P. M.
Stamford, leave		6 20	1 30	
Moresville,		6 55	1 59	
Roxbury,		7 19	2 15	
Stratton Falls,		†7 26	*2 20	
Halcottville,		7 38	†2 30	
Kelley's Corners,		7 44	*2 34	
Dean's Corners,		7 56	2 45	
Griffin's Corners,		8 10	2 57	
Summit,		†8 23	*3 06	
Pine Hill,		8 38	†3 16	
Big Indian,	6 30	9 00	3 31	
Shandaken,	6 42	9 10	3 40	
Fox Hollow,	6 52	9 15	*3 44	
Phoenicia,	7 13	9 32	3.58	
Mount Pleasant,	7 27	9 41	4 07	
Boiceville,	7 45	*9 53	4 18	
Shokan,	8 02	10 02	4 25	
Olive Bridge,	*8 08	10 07	4 29	
Brooks' Crossing,	8 20	*10 15	*4 35	
Beaverkill,	8 35	10 26	4 45	1 45
West Hurley,	8 53	10 38	4 56	2 00
Stony Hollow,	9 01	*10 45	*5 01	2 07
Kingston,	9 21	11 03	5 15	*2 27
Kingston Junction,	9 30	11 10	5 15	*2 40
Rondout, arrive	9 40	11 20	5 30	2 50

Trains Nos. 2, 4, 6 and 8 run daily Sundays excepted.
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TIME-TABLE FERRY BOAT LARK.

LEAVE RONDOUT.

A. M.
6.50 Up Po'keepsie Special.....7.20
8.00 Down Express train.....8.29
9.15 Down Special.....9.44
10.40 Up Express train.....11.13
11.45 Down Express train.....12.19
P. M.
1.35 Up Express train.....2.09
Down Po'keepsie train.....2.4
2.45 No train.
3.45 No Train
5.00 No train
6.00 Down train.....6 38
7.00 Up Express.....7.28

LEAVES RHINECLIFF.

7.20, 8.29, 9.45, 11.13 A. M.; 12.20, 2.09 3.15, 4.30, 5.30, 6.3 P. M.

RONDOUT POST OFFICE.

ARRIVALS OF MAILS.

New York through, 7:40 P. M.
New York & way, 11:40 A. M.
Albany through, 8:40 A. M.
Albany & way, 12:45 P. M. 6:50 P. M.
New York, K. & S. R. R., 6 P. M.
Wallkill Valley R. R., 3 P. M.
Ellenville, 3 P. M.
Kingston, 10:30 A. M., 3 P. M., 6 P. M.
Rifton Glen, 10 A. M.
Esopus 10:30 A. M.
Wilbur special, 7 A. M., 5 P. M.
Rhinebeck, 7:45 P. M.

CLOSE.

New York through, 7:30 A. M.
New York & way, 11:20 A. M., 5:40 P. M.
Albany through, 10:15 A. M.
Albany & way, 10:15 A. M.
New York, K. & S. R. R., 6:30 A. M.
Wallkill Valley Railway, 2:30 P. M.
Ellenville, 6 A. M.
Kingston, 6 A. M., 11:15 A. M.
Rifton Glen, 12:40 P. M.
Esopus, 1:45 P. M.
Wilbur special, 7 A. M., 5 P. M.
Rhinebeck, 7:30 A. M.

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